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# Prepare for That "Rainy Day" Through Post-Dispatch Wants.

12, last, a panic swept over the little town, but it was speedily quelled by the assurance that the concern would pay off its obligations dollar for dollar.

The statement was a cruel mockery. The report of E. P. Keshner, the expert employed by depositors to examine the affairs of the bank, leaves no hope for those who pinned their faith to the house of Prickett. If the banking business of J. A. Prickett.

reached \$49,730.

Up to this time the overdraft account had been carried on the book as assets of the bank. On June 9, 1893, the account was shifted to the profit and loss column and remained there until the failure. From June, 1893, to the day the bank closed, John A. Prickett overdrew his account \$4,117, making the total overdraft in eight years something like \$53,847. Not only did the president draw money for his personal uses, but he paid the premiums on his life insurance policy out of the assets of the bank. For this purpose he drew out \$1,148, paid the money to the Phoenix Life Insurance Co. and transferred the amount from the assets to the profit and loss column.

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BUT HE MAY YET "DO TIME."

Mrs. Augusta Storman and Her Ath letic Son Looking for the Abductor of Her Daughter.

When Marcus A. Hendershott presented ing-house, 2709 Morgan street, two months ago, Mrs. Storman recognized him as the son of a former friend in Dallas, Tex. She was not glad to see him, because, as a boy, luring his companions from home and the path of rectitude. She had three sons of her that Hendershott would induce her sons Hendershott persuaded her to receive him CHICAGO, Ill., March 12.-Nelson Will- ago. During his stay Mrs. Sterman observed

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THE WOMAN'S HUMANE SOCIETY TAKE LEGAL ACTION.

Little Cosette's room was a bower of roses Thursday. Friday it was a conservatory. Many of those who answered her simple wish—two red roses and an orange—have sent potted plants and vines; so that the little child can see flowers of every variety growing about her. And there is fruit enough to last her for months if it could be preserved.

In her hour of gladness she has not forgotten others who are suffering in that great building at Seventeenth and Pine streets. Roses, lilles and carnations, oranges and bananas have found their way to other bedsides, sent there by the li-year-old-girl who one week ago ran crying down the street, a revolver in hand, and placing the weapon

against her breast, fired what she hoped would be a fatal shot.

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MARY SULLIVAN, 82, 1834 O'Fallon; la

# WON BY A VOTE OF 88 TO 28.

-From the New York Press.

Intimated That It Can Be Carried in the Senate by Making It Elective.

RECONSIDERED BY THE HOUSE FRIDAY MORNING.

Senate showed 22 votes for the bill in that branch of the Legislature, with the understanding that the bill be made entirely

Then followed a debate in which much pirit was displayed. Regan of St. Louis made one of his characteristic speeches, in

Mr. Dyer spoke in favor of the bill. When the roll was called, the bill passed

y a vote of 88 for and 28 against. The emergency clause also passed by a

from the St. Louis delegation. The 28 votes against the bill were cast by the following: 'Alldredge, Armstrong, Arnold, Bruer,

All of the property of the pro

dozen members at a time tried to rise to questions of personal privilege. They each had some sort of a grievance. Representative Martin of Barton, County said he had been given to understand that the bill contained no appointive feature whatever, and he had said he would your for the bill on that representation. On making examination he found that in section 5 of the bill there is provision for the Mayor to appoint within sixty days from the time the act takes effect—members of the board to serve until the following municipal election, when the elective provision is effective. He wanted Mr. Dyer to promise that this feature would be remedied. The adoption of the emergency clause was suggested as a proper remedy, inasmuch as it would, fix matters so the new board could be elected at the coming spring election, but there was, so much confusion that but little attention was paid to the suggestion.

When the bill failed of passage, the opposition element sought to clinch the victory by moving to reconsider and then lay that motion on the table. Representative Avery and a dozen other friends of the bill anticipated this action and a loud storm of cries for adjournment added to the confusion.

The adjournment motion prevailed.

WAVE OF ECONOMY.

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The House Used an Ax on the Execu tive Appropriations.

action of the House yesterday in prolonging consideration of the contingent appropriabill throughout the entire day, and the tion bill throughout the entire day, and the wrangle incident to the occasion, came as a general surprise. It was generally understood that the House would order the bill to engrossment with but few alterations from the recommendations made by the Appropriations Committee. When Chairman Spofford introduced the appropriation bills a sigh of relief escaped the members who are homeward inclined. They regarded the introduction of these bills as a signal that the end of the session was near. Nobody appeared to expect any lengthy debate over any of the bills, and only a few days ago, in speaking of the appropriations, Speaker Farris expressed himself as believing that there would be no material disagreement, and that the bills would go through easily enough.

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But there came a whirlwind of opposition to the bill which was taken up yesterday. It was a lengthy document, providing for the appropriation of money for the support of the State Government, the payment of contingent and incidental expenses of the State department, the public printing, and for the payment of certain other demands against the State. A wave of economy swept across the House and wherever it appeared possible to make a cut, the cut was made. The greatest onslaught of all was made upon the Governor's office and the Executive Mansion. In fact, for a time there appeared to be a disposition among some of the members to forget that the State of Missouri owes any obligations at all to the chief executive.

As detailed in the Post-Dispatch yesterday the first cut was made on the \$4.00 appropriation for the contingent expenses of the Governor's office. The reduction made on this item contemplates the discharge of the clerk who is employed in the executive office. But the discussion that took place on this item was tame in comparison with the wrangle that took place when the section referring to the Executive Mansion was reached. This discussion was so long drawn out and attracted so much attention that the Governor signified his willingness to leave the mansion and live in his own residence rather than have the House make any unwilling appropriation. This led to the introduction of the Crisp amendment to strike out the entire section relating to mansion expense, and it was through Col. Crisp that the Governor's communication, but the sentiment was so strong against it that he was defeated.

Another movement along this line was the refusal of the House.

The House also voted against appropriating money for the improvement of the Capitol grounds and the grounds at the Executive Mansion, Representative Popemade a gallant fight for this appropriation, but the sentiment was so

whatever may be the merits or demerits of the Peers bill, one fact stands out in bold relief, namely: A vast amount of discord has been stirred up on account of it, and it will be a long while before hostilities entirely cease. There is a sort of brotherhood existing among the Senators and all those who voted against the Peers bill when the veto question was considered are likely to have their names stricken out of the blue book. There is still some quiet talk about reconsideration, and it is liable to be sprung at any time.

## WARNER AND BITTINGER.

Political Conference Held at Jefferson City.

Post-Dispatch. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 12.-Maj. Villiam Warner of Kansas City, who came William Warner of Kansas City, who came to the capital yesterday as attorney in a case before the United States Commissioner for this district, was a spectafor in the House at the night session. Immediately after adjournment, Maj. Warner left the House. With him went Maj. John I. Bittinger, representative from one of the St. Joseph districts. The two prominent Republicans went to the Monroe House, where they held a lengthy consultation. The prompt manner in which the Republicans called on the two Majors would have made Chauncey I. Filley very sore could be have been here.

### SENATE MIFFED.

The House Gave It a Kint to "Hurry Up."

JEFFERSON CITY, March 12.—The Heuse to-day adopted a resolution requesting the Senate to report all House bills from committees within twenty-four hours of the time they reach that body.

The Senate refused to receive the resolution and it was returned to the House without being placed on record.

Many of the Senators were greatly displeased at the resolution and were inclined to look upon it as being an impertment criticism. On the other hand, the House members who favored the resolution claim that the Senate Committees are unduly slow in reporting House bills.

Anti-Trust Bill.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 12.-Sen-

REPUBLICAN EX-CONGRESSMEN HAVE NO PULL

H. Clay Evans Will Not Get His Prom

ised Office Without Strong

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 12.—The information comes semi-officially from the White House that the Republican ex-Congressmen from Missouri are not to be recognized by McKinley. Their mad rush for places for themselves has resulted in a situation which may pre-

vent them even holding the patronage in their respective districts.

The pressure of applicants for places who have not had office at good salaries during the last two years will undoubtedly defeat the ambitions of the ex-members. John A. Ackerson of Missouri seems to

have the call for Superintendent of the Coast and Geodetic Survey. Congressman Pickler of South Dakota Congressman Pickler of South Dakota, aided by Congressman W. P. Brownlow of Tennessee, is making a bitter fight on H. Clay Evans of Tennessee, who has gone home with the promise of the office of Commissioner of Pensions.

Ex-Congressman Murphy of East St. Louis, who was disappointed in his aspirations to be First Assistant Postmaster-General, is now on the slate for Third Assistant in the Post-office Department.

The fact that Senators Cullom and Mason have compromised their differences and are now harmoniously pulling for patronage makes Illinois' chances for a good many places exceptionally good.

CHANCES FAVOR BAILEY

For Leader of the Democratic Minority in the House.

the Post-Dispatch. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 12.—Mr. Bailey of Texas is the leader to-day in the Bailey of Texas is the leader to-day in the contest for the Democratic caucus nomination for Speaker. The Western members are generally for him, and he divides the Southern vote with Mr. McMillin of Tennessee. His friends claim 65 votes for him now, which is more than enough to control the caucus.

The Missouri members are nearly all here. Congressman Cooney arrived last night. Congressman Cowherd arrived to-day. Messrs. Bodine, Cochran, Dockery and De Armond have been here for some time.

At the forencon caucus of the Missourians to-morrow it is probable that the delegation will decide to vote as a unit for either Bailey or McMillin, and the chances are in favor of Bailey.

#### NICARAGUA CANAL PLAN.

McKinley May Treat With the Greater Republic of Central America.

NEW YORK, March 12 .- A special to the Journal from Washington says that diplo-matic negotiations are under way which, made a gallant fight for this appropriation, but the sentiment was so strong against it that he was defeated.

Another movement along this line was the refusal of the House to allow money for furnishing the residence of the penitentiary Warden. This proposition was set forth as being a dangerous precedent, inasmuch as to furnish the Warden's residence might call for furnishing the homes of all the other State officers.

Continuing the economical movement the House refused to appropriate \$396 to pay for electric fans placed in the House by Jefferson City people on account of the Democratic State Convention held here last aummer.

Outside of the changes enumerated in the foregoing no alterations were made in the foregoing no alterations were made in the found occasion to make cuts only on items relating to the Governor or to Jefferson City. The bill was ordered engrossed as a mended, and will be passed without any further discussion, so the knowing ones say.

A lightning calculator would find it difficult to keep correct count of all the divers and sundry amendments that were offered to the bill.

The most amusing feature of it all was member of the Commission, walked all over the House during his protracted speech against diminishing the fish fund. Finally the Fish Commission section of the bill was sillowed to go without change. Then Col. Crisp took his seat.

PEERS IS SORE.

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Wants to Even Up With Those Who
Opposed the Hanging Bill.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 12.—It is a matter of current comment here that Senator Peers has whetted an axe for Senator Lancaster on account of the fact that the St. Louis Senator voted to sustain the Governor's veto on the Peers hanging bill. The story as told in the Senate chamber is that Senator Peers hopes to get revenge on Senator Lancaster Peers hopes to get revenge on Senator Lancaster by using his influence to defeat all Lancaster legislation that is yet pending.

Whatever may be the merits or demerits of the Peers bill, one fact stands out in bold

and one of his first acts was to withdraw it, giving as his reason that it contemplated an entangling alliance and that it was a possible interference with the Clayton-Bulwer treaty. The latter treaty, which gave England a finger in the pie, has since been declared by authorities to be nuil and vold.

APPOINTED SENATORS.

Statement That They Will Not Be Seated.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—As a result of the several conferences which have been held, not only by Republicans, but by the Democrats, it may be definitely said that the Seators who have been appointed by Governors of States where Legislatures are seven after a debate, of which no one could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponentially the policy of the seven after a debate, of which no one could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented to the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending, it is not at all likely that a favorable vote could be exponented for the could predict the ending it is not at all likely t

disposal of routine business. After 10 o'clock there were a few exceptions to the rule against official callers, Senators Cullom and Mason of Illinois, Hale of Maine and Platt of Connecticut seeing the President.

Just before the hour for the Cabinet meeting several prominent New Yorkers put in an appearance. First came ex-Senator Warner Miller, accompanied by several friends, including ex-Senator Blair of New Hampshire. They were followed by J. Sloat Fassett and John F. Muholland Mr. Miller introduced Thomas S. Nowell of Boston, who is interested in the development of Alaska and the appointment of a delegate from that Territory. This was discussed briefly with the President. Mr. Miller will call later as to New York affairs.

The call of Mr. Muholland was by appointment, and lasted up to the time of the

Cabinet meeting. It was stated positively and from authoritative sources after the several New York calls that the subject of New York patronage would not be acted upon until the more important public questions before the coming extra ession of Congress was disposed of.

The Cabinet officers began to assemble shortly before il o'clock, Messrs. Bliss and Gary arrived together, followed by Secretary Sherman, who varied the usual custom by taking the elevator in the private part of the house. The meeting began promptly at H O'clock, all of the members being present.

present.

The Cabinet meeting lasted until 12:15, Secretary Bliss and Attorney-General Mc-Kenna remaining some time longer. It was stated positively that no changes in the status of Cubah affairs were brought to the attention of the meeting and that the present conditions of that question were regarded as entirely satisfactory. Most of the time of the meeting, it was stated, was given to the details of organizing the several executive departments at Washington. STRUCK A SNAG.

The New Administration Has Few Of-

fices to Give Out. WASHINGTON, March 12 -There is con WASHINGTON, March, 22.—There is consternation in the McKimicy camp. The extensions of the civil service have been so extensive that there are few offices left to distribute to the faithful. The Postmaster-General has found that he cannot bounce John L. Thomas, the Assistant Attorney-General for his department. Similar discoveries have been made by Secretaries Gage and Alger. During the hast Administration orders extending the civil service doubled the number that were formerly protected. When Mr. Cleveland went out of office the civil service had been enlarged so that it included 87,107 offices. Of these nearly 45,000 places which were open to Democrats in March, 1893, were closed to Republicans in March, 1897.

MOTHER M'KINLEY AT HOME. The Venerable Lady Not Fatigued by

Her Journey. CANTON, O., March 12.-"Mother" Nancy llison McKinley and her daughter, Miss Helen McKinley, who were in Washington for the inauguration ceremonies, reached

for the inauguration ceremonies, reached Canton this morning in the private car of Vice-President Hugh of the Pennsylvania company, attached to the regular Pennsylvania train.

"Mother" McKinley, who is well on toward 30 years of age, does not seem in the least fatigued by her visit, and when she left the car and greeted her friends at the station to-day she seemed remarkably hale and sprightly for one of her years.

"I was having too good a time to get tired." she said in answer to a question. She seems glad, however, to get back, and would not care to change for a residence in Washington.

### ARBITRATION TREATY.

Considered by the Senate Foreign Re lations Committee.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations has been in session to-day considering the arbitration treaty. Two members of the committee, Gray and Mills, have not been present. The question of amendments to the treaty consumed most of the time, the contention being whether the treaty should be reported as it was when reported in the last Congress or whether the Turple amendment referring all arbitration agreements back to the Senate for ratification would cover all objections raised to the treaty. It is probable that the committee will have the treaty under consideration several days.

The committee adjourned at 1:30 p. m., after a three hours' session to meet again Monday. Chairman Davis would make no announcement concerning the day's work beyond that no conclusion was reached.

#### McKinley's Thanks.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., March 12.—At a meeting last night of the Executive Committee of the maugural ceremonies a letter was read from Secretary Porter, expressing the thanks of President McKinley for the efficient manner in which the inauguration had been managed. A similar letter came from Gen. Horace Porter, Grand Marshal of the parade.

There will be a surplus of between \$7,000. of the parade.

There will be a surplus of between \$7,000 and \$8,000 remaining in the hands of the Treasurer of the committee after all the debts have been paid and the guarantee fund refunded.

### Foreign Policy Indorsed.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 12.—The Tennessee Senate to-day passed a joint resolution indorsing President McKinley's foreign policy as outlined in his inaugural address and urging the ratification of the arbitration treaty with Great Britain. The Senate is largely Democratic.

Currency Commission. WASHINGTON, March 12.—The plan for the creation of a monetary commission for the study of the currency evils of the coun-try will be taken up in earnest by the new administration promptly upon the meeting of Congress

# THE TRUST WINS.

Vice-Chancellor Reed's Decision Dis missing the Bill Against the American Tobacco Company.

TRENTON, N. J., March 12.-Vice-Chancellor Reed this morning filed with the

# ATTORNEY LOWE REPRIMANDED

BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

END OF THE CONTEMPT CASE.

The Kansas City Lawyer Admitted He Had Made a Mistake and Got Off Lightly.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 12.—Frank M. Lowe, Prosecuting Attorney of Jackson County, appeared before the bar of the House of Representatives this morning to unswer to the charge of contempt.

As is generally understood, the charges against Mr. Lowe grow out of the House investigation of Kansas City police affairs.

"I am here to abide by a decision of the House." House," said Attorney Lowe, as he mounted the stand and took a seat by Speaker Far-

Representative Pope, a member of the late Investigating Committee, made a speech in which he implored the House to deal leniently with Mr. Lowe. "He is a good man," said Pope, "but he has been unfortunate. He has been associating with bad men. Well, in fact he is a Kansas City politician."

The remarks of Mr. Pope created a ripple

said he hoped Mr. Lowe would be given an opportunity to reply to the thrust given him by Mr. Pope.

Representative Whitecotton implored the louse not to insult Mr. Lowe just because he was before its bar. "He is a gentleman and should be treated as such," Mr. White-

consent.

He does not seek the leadership. He does not want it, but his friends insist that he should receive the Speakership nomination of his party at this time. His selection would be a well-merited compliment and especially gratifying to the rank and file of the free silver Democracy of the country, b Mrs. Bland and children will remain in Washington during the extra session.

### WORST IN FIVE YEARS.

Snowstorm Raging in Wisconsin and

Trains Are Blocked. ISHPEMING, Wis., March 12.-The worst snow storm in five years is raging in the Upper Peninsula. Freight trains are blockaded on both the South Shore and Chicago & Northwestern lines. A freight train on the latter road has been stuck in a drift at the Buffalo mine. Fifty men are now at work clearing the track, but if the storm does not soon abate, it is likely that the train will not be moved to-day.

All passenger trains on this end of the road are tied up on account of the freight blockade on the main line. Two freight trains on the western end of the South Shore, between Nestoria and Duluth, are tied up, and will not be moved until the storm is over.

In some places the snow is from six to ten feet in depth, with drifts rapidly growing ded on both the South Shore and Chicago on account of the freight blockade on the main line. Two freight trains on the western end of the Shore, between Nestoria and Duluth, are tied up, and will not be moved until the storm is over.

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Ohio River Falling.

CINCINNATI, O., March 12.—There is general relief here to-day because the Ohio River, which had reached a stage of over fifty feet, began falling at noon. With clear weather prevailing in the Ohio Valley no further apprehensions of flood are now felt.

# TO OUST MAYOR PINGREE.

The Michigan Supreme Court Clearly Points the Way. LANSING, Mich., March 12 .- The Supres

ourt to-day affirmed the decision of the Wayne (Detroit) Circuit Court in holding wayne (betoit) Circuit Court in nothing that D. W. H. Moreland, as a private citizen, had no right to commence the proceedings heard there to oust Gov. Pingree from the office of Mayor of Detroit.

The court announced that an order would be entered requiring the Attorney General to file a petition against the Common Council. An order was also made directing the Council to show cause next Tuesday why a mandamus should not issue, to compel it to order a special election for Mayor.

### INSURANCE MEN ADJOURN.

Threatened Disruption Over Grain Policies Averted.

but Friday the three companies consented to cancel the policies and peace was restored.

The following gentlemen were appeinted by Fresident Smith on the general committee which it was determined Thursday was to take the place in the future of the three auxiliary committees constituting the machinery of organization in the past.

J. W. L. Cofran, Eugene Harbeck, Eugene Carey, H. A. Harding, Fred James, W. G. Littlejohn and Dan C. Osman of Chicago, H. Medill of Cincinnatt, J. H. Washburn of New York.

The committee's headquarters will be in Chicago, The appointment of this committee means the complete reorganization of the union. It is was experiment, but it is thought that if will tend to simplification and centralization. It is vested with absolute authority to regulate the business of all companies in the union.

#### MISS BARBEE'S ARGUMENT.

St. Louis' Fairest Lawyer Measures Swords With Frank M. Estes.

Miss Daisy D. Barbee made her maider miss Daisy D. Baroee made her madea argument in the Court-house Friday.

She filed suit recently for E. D. Slater against the Knights of Honor for \$3,000 damages for expulsion from a subordinate lodge. The case was assigned to Judge Klein's division. Lawyer Frank M. Estes filed a demurrer for the Knights of Honor, alleging that the petition was incomplete and did not state a cause of action. Both Miss Barbee and Mr. Estes argued at length on the demurrer, and when they had finished Judge Klein took the demurrer under advisement. The arguments were marked by the absence of that airy persinage and recrimination that usually accompanies such encounters between lawyers. argument in the Court-house Friday.

## SCHOOL HISTORIES.

f excitement.

Representative Davis of Chariton County The G. A. R. Objects to Those in Use Because They Laud Confederate Valor.

OMAHA, Neb., March 12.—Included in general orders No. 5 from headquarters, G. A. R., Commander-in-Chief Clarkson includes

MALA. Nob. March 11—Included in general contents of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "He is a contenue of the was before its bar. "Are a careful cassmantion, and the extenue of the was before its bar. "Are a careful cassmantion, and the extense of the was before the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period in the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content of the was a content of the was a content of the was period as ending the was a content o ment to the into the main river again about eight or withy in the tendered side the past twelve hours a rise of .7 of a cessation. River steamers, both through and local, are making landings never before a tempted, and in some instances boats touch at points forty odd miles inland.

A private levee on the Neely cotton plantation, ten miles above here, has failed to resist the powerful current. All live stock in that section has been removed to the applications.

hills.

At Memphis proper, the big 1,000 acre sand bar is completely under water, forcing out a hundred or more thugs and thieves, who made the willows on the bar a night hiding place.
Wolf River, just north of this city, is overflowing its banks, doing considerable damage to fences and settlers and settlers'

cabins.

The Weather Bureau predicts continued high water, cold wave to-night and freezing temperature to-morrow.

Two great side-wheel steamers, capable of carrying 1,000 passengers each, this afternoon issued notice of excursions into Eastern Arkansas, giving a view of overflowed country and submerged plantations. This means a trip of fifty miles due west from Memphis through the tree tops and over cabins, farms and small villages. Past high water offered no such opportunity.

Desperate Efforts to Save Alonzo Wal-

FRANKFORT, Ky., March 12.—It was expected that Gov. Bradley would to-day announce his decision on the appeal of Scott Jackson for executive elementy. Jackson is sentenced to hang March 20 for murdering Pearl Bryan. The Governor began consideration of the appeal of Alongo Walling to-day before announcing his decision in Jackson's case. It is believed that Jackson's appeal has been denied. Walling's friends had hoped for a commutation of sentence to life imprisonment. They are now seeking a respite for one day only if is not possible to get a longer respite. They believe that if Jackson is hung first that he will confess so as to help Walling out. There is a report that it was men will not be hung on the same day, but nothing official is announced or known.

#### ELECTRIC WORKS BURNED. Destructive Fire at Indianapolis, Caus-

ing \$85,000 Loss. adjourned Friday at 1'p. m. to meet in Saratoga Springs the first Tuesday in next September.

The principal business transacted was the settlement of the row over the violation by three companies in the union of the established rates on floating grain politics in North and South Dakota and Minnesota.

This threatened the disruption of the union,

THEOSOPHICAL CRUSADERS HERE ON THEIR MISSION.

ST. LOUIS IS IN THE DARK.

osophy and Then Organize a New Bociety.

The crusaders of the American Theosophical Society, who have been making a tour of the world in the interest of the universal brotherhood of men, arrived in St. Louis Friday morning at 7 o'clock over the Chicago & Alton. They left Kansas City the night before. They expect to remain here until Monday when they will continue their itinerary toward New York, where they started nearly a year ago.

There are in the party Mrs. Katherine A. Tingley, leader of the theosophical movement throughout the world, Ernest Temple Hargrove, President of the theosophical societies of America, Europe and Australasia; H. T. Patterson, President of the Brooklyn Theosophical Society; F. M. Pierce, representative of the School for the Revival of the Lost Mysteries of Antiquity; Rev. W. Williams of England; Mrs. Alice Cleather of England; Dr. L. Wood, President of the Theosophical Society of Westerly, R. I. Whon the party left New York it also included Mr. and Mrs. Claude Falls Wright. Owing to the ill health of Mrs. Wright she was obliged to stay in Arizona. Her husband remained with her, while the rest of the party continued on their mission.

Upon arrival here they were met by a number of local Theosophists and were driven to the Southern Hotel, where they will stop during their visit. They desire to announce that they will receive visitors Friday and Saturday nights from 8 to 10 o'clock at the hotel. All those wishing information concerning this comparatively unknown yet beautiful philosophy are invited to call.

A public meeting has been arranged for Sunday night, but the place of its polding

antagonize any one or any faith. As to the details of religion, let them believe as they will.

"So it is that we did a vast deal of good in India, where the Hindoos and the Mohamedans have been fighting like cats and dogs. We organized seven branches in which the representatives of the two faiths stood side by side.

In France and Austria the priests of the Roman Catholic Church showed Mrs. Tingley every attention, receiving her most cordially.

"I am sure that if the people but come to the meeting Sunday night they will be interested. There will be talks by Mrs. Tingley, myself and others on "Brotherhood," Toleration," 'Reincarnation' and kindred topics. After they have had their interest aroused if they will come to the hotel Monday we can proceed to get the new organization into shape."

From St. Louis the itinerary takes in Chicago, Fort Wayne, Cincinnati, Columbus, Toledo, Cleveland, Buffalo, Teronto, Syracuse and New York. The party is due in New York April 3.

#### MISSOURI METHODISTS. St. Louis Conference Recognizes Wo

NEVADA, Mo., March 12.-By a vote of Church yesterday voted to admit women to seats as delegates in future conferences. The proposition to give laymen equal representation with ministers was lost, £ 10 28.

The characters of the following gentlemen were passed: D. W. Crow, presiding elder of the Farmington district; F. H. Price of the Kansas City district; B. F. Thomas of the Lebanon district; O. M. Stewart, St. Louis district.

The following effective elders were called and their characters passed: F. A. Farley, L. E. Grover, William Stephens, H. A. Daugherty, H. M. Hackney, Albert Jump, L. C. Bappington, S. B. Warner, Samue Warner, W. A. Quayle, B. P. White, O. N. Moon, L. J. K. Lunbeck, H. Babbitt, W. F. Baker, T. H. Gillespie, H. A. Feland, G. H. Gideon, J. Hurley, D. C. Ridgeway, B. D. Jones, C. R. Wade, J. R. Pimbolt, Transferred from Central Ohio Conference—A. D. Bull, J. S. Merade, B. F. January, A. D. Hull, J. S.

SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND. Senate Passes the Bill Conce

Special to the Post-Dispates.

JEFFERSON CITY, Me., March 12.—The Senate to-day passed the bill authorising the sale of the present afte of the Missouri School for the Dilad and the purchase of a new site.

Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 12-ToDouble Guarantee | Moory buck on request.

# BROTHERHOOD. Two or Three Suits for the Price of One

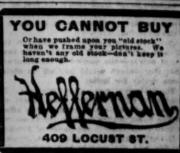
Saturday evening, ten o'clock, ends our Spring Anticipation Sale. The great and impressive feature of this sale is the distribution of MEN'S ALL-WOOL SUITS, our own responsible make for

ply yourself with these superior Sults. Your choice of a great va-riety of patterns and weaves, i medium and spring weights.

Ground Floor of Factory.

Good Luck SIXTH AND ST. CHARLES

uble Guraantee | Money back on request





DEATHS. ALEXANDER—At St. Luke's Respital, March 12, at 2 a. m., Anna Alexander, aged 28 years:

Interment private. DE LA VAULX—At Paris, France, Count Roger Louis de La Vaulx, beloved hus-band of Eliza Dillon de La Vaulx. GRAHAM-Died March 11, at 1 p. m., Mrs.

Mannie Graham, aged 32 years.

Funeral will take place from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Londs, 133.

Washington avenue, on Saturday, March 13, at 2 p. m., to St. John's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Friends are invited to attend. LINDSAY-John Delany Lindsay, in his 5th year, son of Jane and the late Col. A. J. Lindsay. Funeral Saturday, March 13, at 9 a. m., from St. Xavier's Church, corner of Lin-dell and Grand avenues. Interment private

O'CONNOR-On Thursday, March 11, at 3 o'clock p. m., William O'Connor, be-loved father of Katie and William J. Reid, after a short illness, at the age of

The funeral will take place on day. March 14, at 2 o'clock p. m., fumily residence, No. 53 Biddie ette St. Patrick's Church, thence to Ca Cemetery. Friends are invited to at

UINN—On Friday, March 12, 1897, at 10 a. m., Thomas Quinn, beloved husband of Margaret Quinn; aged 65 years. Funeral from family residence, 5056 Morgan street, Interment private. STURDY—Entered into rest at his residence in Kirkwood at 6:20 a. m., March 12, Oswald Sturdy, aged 25 years. Services at Grace Episcopal Church, Kirkwood, Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Interment at Oak Hill Cemetery.

The funeral will leave the house at 2:20 o'clock.

U. S. CASUALTY COMPANY. Examiners Begin an Inquiry Into Its

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

# **POWERS ARE** SLOW TO MOVE.

TWOULD SEEM THEY ARE NOT ACTING IN CONCERT.

GREECE HOLDING HER OWN.

The Admirals Have Drawn Up a Programme Which the Powers Are Considering.

als in Cretan waters is as follows: First—A blockade of the Island of Creta.

Austria wired the powers that she would accept the whole of the proposals of the Admirals, but as Emperor Francis Joseph was at Cape Martin, she must have time to consuit with his Majesty.

Italy telegraphed her acceptance of all the

proposals of the Admirals, but it was added that they must be submitted to the Cabinet Council, which would be done within three

Russia, Great Britain and France were silent for a time, and then Great Britain proposed that a gendarme be organized in Crete by utilizing the Greek troops, not using the Greek flag and not using the Greek officers in this connection.

Russia eventually answered that as the Dowers had presented their ultimatum to Greece and as Greece had replied by offering to withdraw the fleet, the answer was

to withdraw the fleet, the answer was ciliatory and partly satisfactory. Therefore, Russia proposed a further collective note, demanding the withdrawal of the Greek troops from Crete.

Greek troops from Crete.
France seconded the reply of Russ'a.
During the pour pariez a general agreement was suggested in that the Powers should each advance a certain sum for the pay of gendarmerie and for the expense of organizing the autonomous government of Crete. This was immediately objected to by Germany on the ground that she was not willing to spend a pfennig for this purpose.

Powers are acting in concert towards Greece, it is remarked here that if this was the case the threatened coercion of Greece would have been an accomplished fact long before this.

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There seem to be but three ways out of the present difficulty. The most peculiar is that the Fowers must accept the offers of Greece to withdraw her feet from Cretan waters and allow her army of occupation to remain nominally under the control of a foreign officer outranking Col. Vassos, to be used for the pacification of the island, and when that is accomplished a plebiscite shall decide whether the Cretans prefer annexation to autonomy.

The second suggested solution is the coercion, real or seeming, of Greece by the blockade of the Greek coasts, as well as the Island of Crete. This would be a dangerous and difficult task. In the first place, it would require an immense fleet of vessels, owing to the almost innumerable islands composing the Greeclan Archipelago, to make such a blockade effective. Besides, Greece's reply to this proposition would probably be the lighting of the fires of war in Macedonia, the beginning of a confagration which might spread all over Europe.

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fiagration which might spread all over Europe.

The most dangerous spot on the map of Europe at present is the frontier of Thessaly. If Greece is coerced or if she does not obtain the substance of her demands, she is liable to force the hands of the Powers, and this might be done in more ways than one, as by crossing the border and possibly bringing about the long-contemplated disamberment of the Turkish Empire.

The third solution of this dangerous and difficult problem is contained in the renewed rumors that King George of Greece may abdicate in favor of his eldest son, crown Prince Constantine, Duke of Sparta, whose wife is the Princess Sophia of Prussis, sister of Emperor William of Germany. There are many people who believe that the King's abdication would be the best means of clearing up the situation. While the stand taken by King George in the present crisis has undoubtedly improved his position among the Greeks, his abdication would be a popular step, as the populace has never quite forgiven the King for being a forgiven the king for being a forgiven regarded as being one with The Crown Princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the substance of the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the substance of the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the substance of the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the substance of the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the princes at the princes is known to be a triffe fealure at the princess is the princes at the princess is known to be a triffe fealure at the princes at the princes is the princes at the proper than the princess is the princes at the proper than the proper t

the Powers. There is no doubt that the decrease in excitement here tends to present matters in a brighter light, for popular clamor had a deal to do with the defiant position assumed by the Greek Government.

But there is no cessation of military activity here or at Salonica. On both frontiers troops have occupied strategic positions and reinforcements are being pushed forward night and day.

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The armed peasants on both sides are the most dangerous factors on the frontiers. A conflict there may occur at any moment, and then it may be beyond human power to stem the tide of war which has been sullenly rising for a long time past.

The firing upon the insurgents by the foreign warships and the later conflicts between the foreign marines and the insurgents have had a very bad effect among the people here, irritating them to a great degree against everything in the shape of foreign intervention in the affairs of Greece. The calmer minds are counseling prudence, but the situation is almost as grave as it could be, and Greece is prepared to make the greatest sacrifices if driven to desperation.

CANEA, March 12.—The Mussulman refugees who have been brought here are destitute and on the verge of starvation and the island is full of bands of robbers, who are piliaging the towns in the vicinity.

PARIS, March 12.—The following semi-official announcement was made this afternoon:

The powers, while united in principle, have not yet been able to reach a solution of the Cretan question. Proposals and objections are being exchanged hourly.

The programme drawn up by the Admirals in Cretan waters is as follows:

First—A blockade of the Island of Crete, Second—A blockade of the Pirsaus and "Greece's refusal is masked in sophisms."

als in Cretan waters is as follows:

First—A blockade of the Island of Crete.
Second—A, blockade of the Piraeus and some of the other Greek ports.

Third—The seizure by a detachment of the fleet of the telegraph offices at Syra.

Fourth—Any Greek warships encountered are to be taken to the Island of Milo and kept there.

Fifth—Any Greek warships firing on any foreign warships are to be sunk, and the act is to be considered a casus belli.

Sixth—Any Greek torpedo boat nearing a foreign warship is to be fired at.

Seventh—As the blockade of Greece will

Tondon, March 12.—The Athens cor-

Seventh—As the blockade of Greece will require, all the crews of the foreign warships, each Power is to send to Crete a battalion of infantry not less than 600 men in number.

Each of the foreign Admirals telegraphed a copy of these proposals to his Government.

Germany immediately telegraphed to the Powers that she would accept the proposals down to the seventh, and that she would accept the seventh in principle, but she had accept the seventh in principle, but she had

3. That the insurgents aubmit to the Powers.
4. That after three months a plebiscite beheld to decide whether autonomy be established or the island be annexed to Greece.
5. That the Powers immediately induce Turkey to withdraw part of her troops from the Greek frontier, Greece to withdraw her troops in the same proportion.

ATHENS, March 12.—M. Skouzes, the Greek Minister of Foreign Affairs, has cabled the thanks of the Greek Government to the United States Senate for the resolution of sympathy recently adopted by that body.

BERLIN, March 12.—The National-Zietung temi-officially announces that Germany with semi-officially announces that Germany wil not take part in any negotiations suggesting another note to Greece, adding that Germany insists upon upholding the original ultima-

# HUNTINGTON'S HAND.

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Secretary Alger's Peculiar Course in British Foreign Office that the Powers proceed immediately to organisate the process of the previous Cretar general proceed immediately to organisate the process of the previous Cretar general proceed to the process of the previous Cretar general proceed to the process of the previous Cretar general process

### RAINMAKERS ARE RILED.

Weather Officials Will Prosecute Manager Garen and His Aides.

The distribution of fictitious but alarm ng tornado warnings to call attention to a melodrama, to appear at Havlin's Theater, will give trouble to Manager Garen and

will give trouble to Manager Garen and his satellites.

The Weather Bureau officials will prosecute all those engaged in distributing these advertisements. When the Washington officials learned of the excitement caused by "The Tornado" flags they instructed Prof. Frankenfield to prosecute all those engaged in their distribution.

Prof. Frankenfield called at the Four Courts Friday and asked the City Attorney to issue summons against the offenders, charging them with disturbing the peace. The City Attorney asked the co-operation of Police Capt. O'Malley, and Capt. O'Malley instructed his officers to learn the names of all the men who distributed the signs. As soon as these names have been handed to the City Attorney he will summons them to appear before Judge Peabody.

Prof. Frankenfield says the Government officials at Washington are incensed at the action of the managers of "The Tornado" company and have determined to keep a strict watch over them in every city they visit. If any attempt is made to distribute the tornado warnings, prosecutions will be begun against the managers of the company and the theaters at which they show, in every city where the offense is committed.

### THE RUBBER TRUST.

How Its Operation Has Brought Misery to Many Persons.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., March 12,-The blighting influence of the Rubber Trust has been felt in this section for three years, and now the worst has come. The Trust will close down the greater part of the plant at

close down the greater part of the plant at Bristol, R. I., and transfer the work to the Alice Mill of the Woonsocket Rubber Co., this city.

Before the Trust obtained control the Bristol plant employed 2,300 hands. Now 500 hands find it difficult to obtain steady employment. Four years ago 2,500 people were happily employed 300 days in the year and earned from \$50,000 to \$50,000 a month in the two big plants at Millville and in this city. Since the Trust controlled these plants, the 1,300 operatives at Millville have averaged only one-third time, with reduced wages. Now the works are closed entirely. In this city the Alice Mill has been shut down nearly half the time, and the operatives have lived very near the starvation line.

If in a hurry try Post-Dispatch "Wants."

# THE DEMOCRATIC POLLING PLACES.

ELECTION COMMISSIONERS AN-NOUNCE WHERE TO VOTE.

REPUBLICANS NOT LOCATED.

But Here Is the Complete List of Polls

for the Democratic Primaries.

Polling places for the Democratic pri-maries have been located at the Election Commissioners' office as follows: FIRST WARD-District 1, 3161/2 South

Fourth street, recommended by Brown and Noonan; District, 1109 Walnut street, recommended by Harrison and Meriwether. SECOND WARD—District 1, 713 North Sixth street, recommended by Harrison; District 2. 207 North Twelfth street, recommended by Harrison. THIRD WARD-District 1, southeast cor-

ner Sixth street and Chouteau avenue, recommended by Noonan; District 2, 909 Meriwether; Harrison makes no suggestion. FOURTH WARD-District 1, 1206 North

FOURTH WARD-District 1, 1206 North Seventh street, recommended by Meriwether; District 2, 1006 Cass avenue, recommended by Brown.

FIFTH WARD-District 1, 1558 South Second street, recommended by Noonan; District 2, 1706 South Eleventh street, recommended by Harrison and Meriwether.

SIXTH WARD-District 1, 2521 North Broadway, recommended by Meriwether and Harrison; District 2, 901 Destrehan street, recommended by Meriwether, Harrison, Brown and Noonan.

BEVENTH WARD-District 1, 499 Trudeau street (Mrs. Koemmekus), recommended by Noonan and Harrison; District 2, 1025 Ann avenue, recommended by Harrison, Meriwether and Brown.

street (Mrs. Koemmekus), recommended by Noonan and Harrison; District 2, 1025 Ann avenue, recommended by Harrison, Merlwether and Brown.

EIGHTH WARD—District 1, 4822 North Broadway, Regular Democratic, selected for convenience; District 2, 4005 Lee avenue, Regular Democratic.

NINTH WARD—District 1, 2802 South Broadway, recommended by Meriwether; District 2, 1924 Cherokee Garden, Regular Democratic.

TENTH WARD—District 1, 1806 O'Fallon street, recommended by Meriwether; District 2, 1527 O'Fallon street, recommended by Harrison.

ELEVENTH WARD—District 1, 3727 South Broadway, recommended by Brown; District 2, 3037 Osage street, Regular Democratic. District 3, 2833 Osage street, Regular Democratic. TWELFTH WARD—District 1, 1227 North Market street, recommended by Meriwether and Noonan; District 2, 514 St. Louis avenue, recommended by Harrison.

THRTEENTH WARD—District 1, 6341 Michigan avenue, recommended by Harrison, District 2, 114 West Courtois street, recommended by Brown, Harrison and Noonan. FOURTEETH WARD—District 1, 2036 O'Fallon street, regular Democratic; District 2, 2304 O'Fallon street, regular Democratic; District 2, 2304 O'Fallon street, regular Democratic, FITTEENTH WARD—District 1, 1244 FITTEENTH WARD—District 1, 2036 O'Fallon street, regular Democratic; District 2, 2304 O'Fallon street, regular Democratic;

trict 2, 2304 O'Falion street, regular Democratic.

FIFTEENTH WARD—District 1, 1244
Wash street, recommended by Harrison and
Brown; District 2, 1400 Wash street, recommended by Harrison and Brown.

SIXTEENTH WARD—District 1, 1910
Madison street, recommended by Meriwether and Noonan; District 2, Twenty-fifth
and Montgomery streets, recommended by
Meriwether and Noonan.

SEVENTEENTH WARD—District 1, 2005
Morgan street, recommended by Harrison
(Noonan and Brown make no suggestion);
District 2, 222 Morgan street, recommended
by Harrison (Noonan and Brown make no
suggestion).

by Harrison (Noonan and Brown make no suggestion).

EIGHTEENTH WARD—District 1, 1927 Penrose street, recommended by Harrison and Brown; District 2, 2917 Natural Bridge road, recommended by Harrison, Brown and Merlwether.

NINETEENTH WARD—District 1, 25 South Sixteenth street, recommended by Brown; District 2, 304 South Jefferson avenue, recommended by Harrison, TWENTIETH WARD—District 1, 3005½ Olive street, recommended by Harrison; District 2, 312 North Channing avenue, recommended by Brown and Merlwether.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD—District 1, southeast corner of Hickory and St. Ange avenue, recommended by Harrison; District 2, 2701 Park avenue, recommended by Meriwether.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD—District 1.

Democratic; District 2, 4415 Easton avenue, Harrison-Brown-Regular-Democratic; District 3, 182 Easton avenue, Meriwether-Harrison-Brown and Regular-Democratic.
TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD—District 1, 1065 Old Manchester road, recommended by Harrison; District 2, 548 Arsenal street, recommended by Harrison; District 3, 5859 Manchester avenue, recommended by Harrison, TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD—District 1, No. 9 North Boyle avenue, recommended by Harrison-Meriwether; District 2, 1025 North Whittier, recommended by Harrison-Meriwether; District 3, "Arcade," recommended by Harrison-Meriwether.
Secretary Saunders says the location of the polling places for the Republican primaries will be made public Saturday afternoon.

scorched by a careless laundress. Only careful, non-scorching laundresses are to be

Worth \$10, \$12.50, \$15

SHOES-Saturday's Scorching Bargains,

The Globe's Sensational Suit Sale

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Remember, these Suits are the very latest materials in Plaids, Checks, Mixtures, Cheviots, Cassimeres, etc. None worth less than \$10,00, and to make it interesting for Saturday have put some in the lot worth

See the Clever Bargains in Our Other Departments

**CLOTHING---Samples of Saturday's Values.** 

Worth \$10, \$12.50, \$15

## Men's and Boys' Hats

If you want cheaper Men's Suits we \$4.95 Here's where you find the Bargains for Saturday have them all-wool as low as \$3.85 and We don't want you to overlook those Baltimore Merchant Tailor Suits at \$10, \$12.50 and \$15. Merchant tailors want \$20

to \$25 to make them to order. BOYS' CLOTHING—Anoths r Great Go in Boys' Suits Saturday. 

Cheaper ones......49c, 99c, \$1.45 Better grades, as fine as they make them, "\$7.50 HERE'S SPARKLING WORTH.

Those Boys' Strictly All-Wool Suits, 

PANTS—The Globe has the Call for Low Prices. 

A few more pairs Ladies' Sample Shoes, \$3.44 and \$5 values, all styles, To-Morrow Ladies' Dongola Oxford, Patent Tip, for SATURDAY.

Lace Shoes, 12 to 2, TO-MOR
ROW.

LADIES' CILIT CKIDT and CLOAK DEDT. Saturday's Furnishing Goods. LADIES' SUIT, SKIRT and CLOAK DEPT. Specials.



One Lot Odds and Ends Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, spring Misses' Jackets, spring weights, to close, to-morrow. 89e Ladies' Skirts in all the new spring styles, novelties, checks or blacks, Saturday .... \$2.95 Ladies' Suits in Plum, Green or novelties, made with Bolero or fly front. Perfect in style\$ 4.95 and finish ..... 4.95 All the late shapes in Ladies' Spring Capes in Silks or \$1.95.\$2.98

FREE-A HANDSOME SHIRT WAIST With every purchase of \$5.00 and above in our Ladies' Cloak and Suit Department.

Men's \$3.00 Federa and Stiff Hats, the

oy's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Black and Boys' 50c Golf, Yacht and Eton Caps, all colors....

An elegant assortment of white body Shirta with fancy plaid and Persian colored bosoms, link cuffs to match, \$1.50; all we ask for them..... 

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LADIES' KID GLOVES-Real Values.

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CORPORATIONS WILL PLEASE STEP UP AND CONTRIBUTE.

SITUATION AT SPRINGFIELD.

The Chicago Street Railway Magnates Got What They Asked, So Far as Committees Go.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 12.-The Republican contingent of this Legislature has within the past few days shown its hand, whatever the corporations choose to put representing two of Chicago's most powerful street railway syndicates, appeared be-fore the Joint Committee on Railways to answer questions regarding their systems and the effect the passage of the Humphrey bills extending the franchise of street railways forty years would have.
The magnates with becoming candor sug-

gested changes desired in the measures They had hardly left the city when Senate Morrison called his Committee on Railroads together and these bills, amended to meet every desire intimated by Yerkes and Bon-ney, were ordered to be reported favorably. the polling places for the Republican primaries will be made public Saturday afternoon.

How annoying it is to have one's clothes scorched by a careless laundress. Only careful, non-scorching laundresses are to be had through P.-D. wants; 14 words 10c. This office or any drug store.

Another Cut In Wages.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 12.—Cuts in wages continue. To-day at the Pennsylvania Tube Works a cut of 10 per cent, affecting 1,000 men, was made. Bad business is the reason assigned.

Bonney frankly told the joint committee that his road would not be satisfied unless the bills extended their franchises fifty years instead of forty. This was done at the meeting of the Senate Committee on Railroads yesterday. The bill which was decided upon in substitution for two of the Humphrey measures was drafted in Chicago and is said to have been brought down here by representatives of the street railway people. The bills have never been introduced in the House and it is likely that they will meet more opposition there, but if the street railway owners want the measures passed it will be a hard matter to defeat them when the general character of the majority is taken into consideration.

A measure which is at present suspended in the air is Cavanaugh's bill to give Chi-Bonney frankly told the joint committee

cago Aldermen \$3,000 per annum salary. The bill if passed means that Chicago will have to pay in salaries to its aldermen \$204,000 yearly. When the bill was called up yesterday amendment after amendment was offered, reducing the proposed salary. Every one was voted down on a vive voce vote until Buckner's amendment reducing the salary to \$1,000 per annum came up. When Cavanaugh moved to lay this amendment on the table the opposition forced a roll call, and the shady men ran to cover. Only fifteen would go on record as opposing the amendment, and this was done after an amendment providing for a \$1,500 yearly salary, offered by Shanahan, had been rejected. The House adjourned, leaving the pending question on the adoption of the Buckner amendment.

The Insurance Committee of the House sent the cold chills up the backs of insurance companies yesterday at one fell swoop. It sent out with favorable recommendation bills taxing life insurance companies 2½ per cent on their gross receipts; the valued policy bill and the bill prohibiting the placing of insurance on persons under 18 years of age. Chairman Nohe has these bills in his inside pocket and he will take his time in reporting them to the House.

JUDICIAL APPORTIONMENT.

Original Bill Revised by the Joint

Committee. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 12 .- The judicial apportionment bill prepared by the Sen-ate committee on that subject has been revised by the joint sub-committee of the ju dicial apportionment committees of the two

dicial apportionment committees of the two Houses. The bill as revised will be submitted to the full committees, and, no doubt, will go to the two Houses without further alteration. It gives the Democrats four districts—the Second, Fourth, Seventh and Eighth—and leaves two more, Tenth and Thirteenth, quite close.

Following are the judicial circuits as formed by the bill:

First—Massac, Alexander, Union, Saline, Williamson, Jackson, Johnson, Pulaski.

Second—Hardin, Gallatin, White, Hamilton, Franklin, Jefferson, Wayne, Edwards, Wabash, Lawrence, Richland, Crawford.

Third—Randolph, Perry, Washington, Monroe, St. Clair, Madison, Bond.

Fourth—Clinton, Marion, Clay, Jasper, Effingham, Fayette, Montgomery, Shelby, Christian.

Fifth—Cumberland, Clark, Coles, Edgar, Vermilion.

Sixth—Moultrie. Douglass, Champaign. Vermilion. Sixth—Moultrie, Douglass, Champaign, Platt, Macon, De Witt. Seventh—Macoupin, Jersey, Greene, Scott, Morgan, Sangamon. Eighth-Adams, Schuyler, Brown, Pike, Calhoun.
Ninth—Hancock, McDonough, Fulton,
Knox, Warren, Henderson.
Tenth—Peoria, Stark, Marshall, Tazewell.
Eleventh—Logan, McLean, Ford, Livingston, Woodford.
Twelfth—Will, Kankakee, Iroquois.

Stevenson.
Sixteenth—Kendall, Du Page, Kane, De Kalb.
Seventeenth—Winnebago, Boone, McHenry, Lake. After Department Stores.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 12.—Representative Suttle introduced a bill which is aimed at department stores. It provides that hereafter companies shall not be incorporated for the purposes of carrying on a general merchandise business. It also terminates all general merchandise corporations now in existence. Suttle sought to have the bill sent to the Committee on Revenue, but there was a storm of objections and it was referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The earth moves.-Evidence, you can buy a first-class liniment, Salvation Oil, for 260

BURIAL PERMITS.

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE. EDWARD HEALY, 66, 211 West Stein MRS. JOS. MORTON, 27, City Hospital LOUIS RUETZ, 36, 2730 South Ninth; con

WILLIAM ELLENBESK, ri; enteritis.

MARY M'CORMICK, 56, 2302 Wainut st.; pneumonia.

CLYTIB BLYTHE, 15, 2319, Cass. av.; heart disease.

WILLIAM MILLER, 76, 1646 Ohio av.; senile debility.

E. V. SCHLATER, 26, 2339 St. Vincent av.; nephritis.

LUCY FOSTER, 1, 1909 South Second; whooping cough.

ELMER HORTON, 5 days, 3020 Portis; congenital debility.

EDWIN MAHONEY, 2, 2315A Rutger; cer-EDWIN MAHONEY, 3, 2016A Rutger; cer-MRS. KLUTE, 38, 410 North Jefferson; in.

MARGARET M. CHESTNUT, 79, 2154 IDA B. DESPER, 3 months, 1231 North Fifteenth; marasmus. CHAS. E. THOMPSON, 31, 105 N. Broad MARGARETHA BARTON, 1 month, 8006 Vater; congenital debility. JOHN GALLAGHER, 41, 4526 St. Ferdin-PIERRE CHOUTEAU SANFORD, 23, HARRY UNVERFORTH, 5, 1307 Warren st., rear; shock (accidental).

Wabash Parlor Cars On day trains to Kansas City and Chicago

SOME BRILLIANT PATRIOTS. Election Commissioners Having Tron

ble Because of Voters' Ignorance. The Board of Election Commissions delegations. The principal complaint was
that a great many petitioners had signed
petitions on which no names of delegates
had been entered. In most cases this was
done through sheer stupidity or at the
request of some man with influence. The
names were filled in later.
The protestants brought a lot of these
men along to be questioned by Secretary
Saunders. The degree of ignorance shown
by some of them nearly gave him nervous
prostration. delegations. The principal complaint wa

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THEY CEASE WARFARE IN SANTI-AGO DE CUBA.

ESCORTS REFUSE TO FIGHT.

Fonsdeviella of Guanabacoa Commits Fresh Crimes and Boasts of Them.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 21.—The Sun has the following cable from Havana:

Reports are received from Manzanillo about another serious engagement near the auto River, in which Gen. Garcia cap

from the Spaniards a large supply of arms and ammunition and made 100 Spanish sol-The situation in Santiago de Cuba co ues favorable for the insurgents, and the Spanish columns have practically aban-doned active operations in the field. They, escort only the convoys with provisions

seven.
Senor La Barrera, Chief of Police at Havana, and Senor Porrua, Civil Governor et the Province of Havana, will soon go to Spain. Both functionaries are said to be in serious disagreement with Weyler.
Fonsdeviella, who is alleged to have killed Dr. Ruiz, is committing new atrocities at Guanabacoa. Beven prisoners were taken out of the jail and murdered a half mile outside the town. Fonsdeviella boasts of his crimes, and says that the more he is attacked by the Cubana the more of them he will kill in order to prove that he has the confidence of his government.

KEY WEST, Fia., March 12.—Gen. Lee, it is reported from Havana, is arranging his affairs with a view to leaving the island within a few weeks. He will, it is said, decline a reappointment as Consul General it it is tendered by President McKinley. It was also rumored at Havana that Consul General Lee had received word from Washington that President McKinley would send a warship to Havana harbor at the earliest practicable moment. This caused much anti-American feeling and several small detachments of volunteers attempted to make a demonstration, but were dispersed by the nolice.

Mrs. Ruis in Washington.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 12—Mrs. Ruis, wife of the naturalized American alleged to have been murdered in a Cubam prison, accompanied by one of her children, called at the State Department and had a short interview with the officials.

The Piraeus, Port of Athens.

This is the port which the Powers threaten to blockade. Mount Pentilikos, Mount Lykabettos and the Acropolis are three peaks seen in the upper left hand corner, with the country south of Athens beyond them.

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#### HOW TO HELP US.

Aside from all considerations of the lic school system of St. Louis, the House at Jefferson City did a wise thing politically when it reconsidered Thursday night's vote and passed the Civic Federation School bill. The majority of the Legislature is overwhelmingly Democratic, and it ought to feel an interest in the efforts of St. Louis Democrats to elect their municipal ticket in the approaching spring election.

Democratic majority in the State Legislature gives the party the prestige of rescuing the schools of the city from the School Board reform is desired not merely by Democrats, but by all decent citizens, has been made evident in many ways. And while there is no politics in the Civic bringing about that reform.

It is in this way that the Democrats of which should not be lost upon Democratic goes to such excess as in this case. members of the House and Senate is to bill Thursday night.

#### THE POOL-ROOMS DOOMED.

Now that the State Supreme Court has decided that the law of 1891 prohibiting pool selling is unconstitutional, those anxious to see the mischievous pool rooms known as the Horse Breeders' bill for paigns. relief. This bill, which prohibits poolselling or gambling on races except at the not 1 per cent of the entire population for forty years.

A free trade journal says: From the not 1 per cent of the entire population will get any real benefit from this interest.

The avalanche

Horse Breeders' bill as objectionable, in- for the benefit of the 1 per cent." asmuch as it legalizes gambling at race this 99 per cent can economize in their certainly bring about better conditions than those existing now, when the gambling fraternity is permitted to openly defy per we can at least learn economy. the police, since the latter refuse to shut up their dens as public nulsances, or to House yesterday was disgraceful. Do not

As the police must have a State law that commands them in unmistakable sooner the Horse Breeders' bill is passed system, managed by political heelers, prountil a better law is enacted it will at any rate prevent the wholesale gambling now going on. If the law as passed by the House and now pending in the Senate first election of Cleveland. There is at does not carry an emergency clause that this time a preponderance of Republican will make it operative at once, such clerks in every branch of the public sera clause should certainly be added, St. vice. Many Republicans would have to Louis cannot afford to pose as a "wide be crowded out if the present hungry open" town a moment longer than can

"MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROAD" EICKERS Let the Bryan Populists possess their ouls in peace, conscious of the fact that in fighting with the people against the Plutocracy in the last campaign they did their duty conscientiously and patriotic-ally. They should not permit themselves to be disturbed by the mouthings of the Middle-of-the-Road fanatics. When lists and believers in popular government as opposed to "the communism of wealth" will again march side by side to victory, and the Middle-of-the-Roader, if he conhimself" as before, and take it out in rall-

cannot progress with their party, nor the fanatic Middle-of-the-Roaders or "stal-wart" Bocialists, who demand all or

pular movement that gave Plutocracy is scare last Novemb

The great popular demand for a return to government by the people instead of by banks. Trusts and corporations, was voiced in the Chicago platform and represented by the six and a half million voters who marched in the ranks for "American Manhood" and afterwards cast their votes as they had marched. On the day of the great test, the Middle-of-the-Roaders and the Wall Street Democrat were in the same boat. The vote of each weakened the strength of the people's cause by that much. Are the Middle-ofthe-Road Populists preparing to repeat this act of treachery to the people in 1900

#### M'KINLEY PAYING DIVIDENDS. About the first official act of the Mc-Kinley Secretary of War is in the interest

of Collis P. Huntington and the Southern

Pacific Railroad. In accordance with the recommendation of the official report of the commission designating San Pedro as the Southern

California port. Congress appropriated money with which to begin work in the harbor. Huntington had opposed the selection of San Pedro, but the action of the Commission was regarded as final, and the appropriation of funds for the beginning of work was made with that understanding.

Secretary of War Alger has refused to make the appropriation available. He has admittedly taken this action at the request of Senator Frye of Maine, who called upon him in company with Millionaire Huntington to urge that course of

Alger can postpone the work indefinitely. Huntington's object doubtless is to secure in the next Congress, through the influence of the McKinley Administration, a reversal of the action locating the harbor at San Pedro. Huntington was a heavy stockholder in the McKinley Joint Stock Company of last year. He is getting his money back. The McKinley Joint Stock Company is now paying dividends.

#### \$20,000 FOR SOLDIERS.

The Missouri House of Representatives now in session has done many good things, and it has also attempted many foolish things, and been compelled in need of reform and of better men and some cases to reconsider its action. Like methods in the administration of the pub. all bodies of men in which strongly opnow and then as if in a fit of hysterics. It is proof of the activity of opposing forces that the present House has given is visible in all directions. birth to such extremes as a bill to prohibit base ball on Sunday and a bill to legalize gambling on race tracks. And the lack of strong and sane leadership is seen in a light almost ridiculous, when the same House refuses a modest appro-There can be no doubt that they will priation to keep in repair the Governor's be greatly helped in this effort if the mansion, while making no opposition to the proposal to spend \$20,000 on what is

called the National Guard. As the refusal to maintain in proper present gross mismanagement. That condition the Executive Mansion was made on the ground that "thousands of President if McKinley is to have a secpeople in Missouri are to-day begging for bread," how does the appropriation of \$20,000 for Plutocracy's police-soldiers Federation bill, yet the disrepute of the strike the people of the State? The Govpresent Board must be borne by the Re- ernor is the representative and servant publican party and the credit for reform of the people. The so-called National would attach to the Democratic party if Guard is maintained for the purpose of a Democratic Legislature enacts the law helping corporations to shoot down strik. agitation should be kept up. ers, and ought to be paid for by those whom this process benefits.

the Legislature can help the Democrats of The Post-Dispatch does not expect con-St. Louis in winning a momentous victory in the spring election. An object lesson bly, But it protests when inconsistency

be found in the fact that every one of the Filley members of the House from St. Louis voted against the Civic Federation would be repeated. No doubt the morn-The morning gold organ declares that ing gold organ would repeat its falsehoods. Not only this, but it would invent some new ones. But it will find a good deal more difficulty in getting them believed. You can fool the people some of the time, but you can't fool them with closed will naturally turn to what is the same humbug in two successive cam-

so far as it does this it will prevent the crease in the price of wool. The other 99 per cent of the people will have to pay While the Post-Dispatch regards the more for their clothing and their carpets tracks, the bill if enacted into law will clothing and carpets. Less clothing will be worn and less carpets put down under high tariff increases. If we cannot pros-

treat them as vagrants as the Revised the opponents of this bill understand the situation in St. Louis? Have they no children of their own that they would terms to close gambling places, the and advancement? How can any school withhold from other children protection right even if our mothers didn't have con-

> The Democrats have not had their share host were to be given what they seek.

The Boston Herald approves the remark of a Republican that Grover Cleve land returns to private life with the respect of every decent person in the United States. This is a roundabout way of saying that the number of decent people in the United States is reduced to a corporal's guard.

The Missouri Republicans can get no Federal appointments because they cannot agree. Mr. McKinley refuses to distinguish a Silk from a Hoodlum. Should he show any particular favor to one side, the two factions could not unite in his support in 1900.

The net that is to be spread to catch American citizens who buy clothing and other articles in Europe is likely to catch a great many members of Mr. McKinley's

othing, are the representatives of the smugglers in practice and high tariffers

The Sunday Post-Dispatch is still the greatest Sunday newspaper treat. In variety and freshness it is unsurpassed by any other publication in its field. No newcomers to St. Louis should miss the favorite Sunday newspaper of the city.

Between Mr. McKinley, who will not favor a Congressman who does not vote as the Administration wishes, and the applicant for office, who will be an enemy if disappointed, our national statesmen are in something of a plight.

Though Connecticut went over to Mc. Kinley her manufactories are shutting down and more men are being thrown out of employment. There was a mis-calculation in Connecticut, just as there was everywhere else. The new Administration will win feather for itself if it can bring about

a treaty that will lead to the excavation

of the Nicaraguan canal by private capital and prevent a raid on the United States Treasury. Mr. Zlegenhein says that a man serving the people should have a heart as large as an ox. He should, however, have more sense than an ox, and should also have

some idea of doing his duty according

to his oath. A member of the Illinois Legislature explains that department stores are successful because they advertise extensively. And this is true. Advertising is a usiness necessity. It cannot be safely neglected.

Mr. McKinley has just made a present of a camp stool to a veteran soldier. If he could get rid of the office-seekers by presenting each of them a camp stool he would give some factory a heavy order.

The Springfield (Mass.) Republican advises Mr. McKinley to break with the Foraker-Cox gang, but Mr. McKinley is too well informed in Ohio politics to risk his fingers in the machinery.

The voter who has moved should not forget that if he fails to register on Tuesday next, the 16th, he cannot vote at the primary on Friday, the 19th, or at the Shah, will be at the head of it. He is said municipal election of April 6.

Woman's great services in the church posing influences are at work, it acts have been recognized by the St. Louis M. E. Conference. Women will now be Conference delegates. Feminine progress Will Needles of Illinois take up the

> of the District, in the course of time, assume the duties of Commissioner? The New York meeting for the ratification of the arbitration treaty proved a

gathering opposed to the treaty. People are thinking this year. Mr. Reed will get a third term as Speaker, but will he ever achieve one term as

ond term? If Pierpont Morgan has found employment for Mr. Carlisle, it is because one

good turn deserves another.

The third bridge should be built as early as possible and the fourth bridge

Mr. McKinley is pleasing Spain quite as well as Mr. Cleveland did. Both are applauded by the Spaniards. Live, France! The great European re-

public is the only power unwilling to blockade the Greek ports.

The extravagance of the Congress just

adjourned should be a horrible example to the new Congress. If Mr. Hanna has overloaded with pig

iron, it only shows that we are all liable to make mistakes. Mr. Yerkes' whisky and cigars do not

The avalanche of silver votes in Mis-

souri is not what will push Maj. Bittinger to the Alps.

#### Reflections of a Rachelev. From the New York Press.

When the snake first saw Eve in the garden he winked at Adam. Very few women dislike the idea of a wedding tour so much that they won't get mar It seems strange to think that a cow

doesn't know any more about politics than a woman.

Every girl has a string to her heart which she lets out longer, as she gets older, until she is 30. Then she throws the string away.

#### "Sixteen to One." From the Holiness Review.

Sixteen women working for the glory of God, to one man Sixteen females testifying of saving grace Sixteen men loafing on the streets talking politics on prayer meeting evening, to one found at the prayer meeting.

And Business Is Business. From the Detroit Free Press.
"O, this everlasting grind," groaned the newly married drummer. "Business is a

merciless tyrant."
"What's the matter now, dear?" asked "Just got word that I must be in Carson City by the 17th."

#### SLEEP.

Which thou does
man.

Mac he sluggard, but he is only one
Drawn deep into thy soft enchantment.
I'd rather sleep; I'd rather that my soul
repose
In unmolested slumber than I'd own
Ten thousand golden millions or should

## IN THE PUBLIC EYE,



MARQUIS OF AHUMADA This is a picture of the Acting Captain General at Havana, when Weyler is in the

MEN OF MARK.

The annual income of the Pope is said to e about \$2,000,000. Max O'Rell is about to quit the lecture

platform for the stage. He has written a farce in which he is going to tour the coun-John B. Duke, the millionaire cigareste

manufacturer, told the Lexow committee that he never smoked a cigarette in his John M. Ward, the once renowned shortstop of the old New York base ball team, has been made claim agent of a Brooklyn

trolley company. Rome's Heralds' College has discovered that the Marchese di Rudini, the Italian Premier, has no right to his title, which beings to another branch of his family. He is properly only Signor Antonio Starabba.

friends in 1891 by running off to Europe,

and J. Sloat Fassett was nominated. The Shah of Persia is going to send an bassy extraordinary to visit successively St. Petersburg, Vienna, Berlin, Paris and London. Nasseret Moulk, son of a former Minister of Foreign Affairs of the late to be an intelligent man, quite familiar with European affairs.

#### WOMEN OF NOTE.

It is estimated that within the last two nths Baroness Hirsch has distributed 12,000,000 francs in charity.

Miss Stahlnecker, whose appointment as translator for the War Department was op-posed, though she had distanced all competthread of Indian affairs, or will Pollock itors in the civil service examination, has ecured a place as translator in the State

Miss Marian S. Parker is a practical civil engineer; she studied at Ann Arbor after a believe that the managers of railroads thorough preparatory course. Two weeks should be allowed to rob the people who after her graduation, she was at work with have their money invested in railroad the unique experience of receiving the same stock. salary paid men for doing the same work and equal chances of advancement as men.

Photography is the fad of the Baroness and are at the mercy of the moneyed Rothschild, in Paris, and an ideal studio classes. The big fish are eating up the lit-and laboratory has been erected in the gar-tle ones. If this thing keeps up we shall den adjoining her palace in the Rue de have a revolution and no mistake. The poor Monceau. The two-story building occupies are oppressed as much by the rich in this a large lot, and has numerous rooms for photographic work in all its branches, a drawing-room, dressing-rooms and every

possible facility for making good pictures. Miss Kate Greenaway, who unpretendingly invented her own branch of art, lives in Andrew Carnegie, the iron king, that the an old and picturesque house in London, provided with the a roomy studio on the top dies disgraced. If a man like John Rockefloor. She went through a long course of study at the London art schools, and worked for years before her peculiar merits came would be soon execrated for piling up his out in a group of children, entitled "Under ill-gotten gains? Nothing upsets a man so the Window." Her own explanation of her much as to know that he is not respected.

#### CURRENT FUN.

Dot (just back from continent): Well, pa, I'm engaged to seven Dukes, a Marquis, eleven Counts and nine Grandees of the first class. Pa: What! Dot: Oh, it's all one fellow. He's a Spaniard, you know .- Lon-

Reporter: It is said that yourself and you comrade, O'Hoggarty, were calm and col lected after the dynamite explosion at the quarry? McLubberty: Wull, it was loike enfitle him to the ownership of Chicago dhis: Oi was calm an' O'Hoggarty was collected.-New York World.

"No." she answered, "I am indeed not one of those girls who vow to love a man for ever and presently forget him. I make it a point to commit all my flances to mem-ory." Thereupon eyes didn't do a thing but look love to eyes that spake back love divine.-Detroit Journal.

"Yes," she said bitterly, "I must confess that he deceived me as to his habits."
"Does he drink, or gamble, or anything of that kind?" inquired the other. "No; but before we were wed he led me to believe that he had a habit of talking in his sleep about all his doings. And he does not."-Indianapolis Journal.

"What are these cups for?" asked a welldressed man of a jeweler, pointing to some elegant silver cups on the counter. "These that's so, suppose you and I race for one?" And the stranger, with the cup in hand. started, the jeweler after him. The stran ger won the cup .- Pick-Me-Up.

#### WELL BACKED, TOO.



From the New York World. "If I were in President McKinley's plac I should have a law enacted providing for a tariff commission to regulate the who uestion of revenue for the Government

polies the municipalities should either ontrol or own them and have the same ower to regulate them that is exercised over hacks and carriages. Indeed, our municipalities should assume control of

now and then.

Trust raised in Washington a year ago when one of the Senators was found investing in Sugar certificates. And then look at the list of watered stocks we have all over

inside may 'hog' everything.
"We have got to come back to first principles and get on an honest basis befor this country can prosper. Just look at the railroad corporations that are in receivers hands! If you investigate the matter care fully you will find that in the majority of there has been bad managemen stock-jobbing or some peculiar business methods employed by which the big fish in the puddle swallow up the little ones.
"Most of the bank failures within the past six months have been the result of dishor

esty. "You don't hear of the Pullman or Wag "Cornelius N. Bliss could have been ner companies being in bankruptcy, nor do ominated for Governor twice had he made you often notice that an express company a fight," says the Buffalo Commercial. "He or a merchants' dispatch or union line fast freight concern has gone into the hands of nominated. He ended the efforts of his a receiver. These are wheels within wheels, friends in 1891 by more than 1891 by the concern has gone into the hands of a receiver. These are wheels within wheels, and organized for the purpose of making money for the railroad magnates at the expense of the mass of stockholders of the railroad.

"This country is trust-ridden. It's only a question of time, unless something is done very soon, when we will have a revolution upon us. Things are running towards the Government ownership of railroads and the people are demanding this more and more. Each State should know what its railroads are doing. It should stop them from overapitalizing and hold them down to a legitimate business, so that people can invest in

their stocks with safety.
"A railroad should be compelled to do business in an honest way and not be allowed to water its stock. If an officer of such corporation offers watered stock for sale he should be treated as a man who obtains money under false pretenses or as a 'green-goods' man and punished accord-

"I believe in vested rights, but I don'

"The majority of manufacturers in this country are in straitened circumstance country as the Cubans are by the Spaniards

"The trouble with the people is that they cannot make out a good case. That is to say, they cannot prove that certain men in high positions are scoundrels. I fully agree with success is that it is due to hard work and Just look how Russell Sage loads down

> ore human. "If I had the making of only one law

Something Worth Knowing. From the New York Journal.

Those of us who are easy in mind and nfortable in body were doubtless shocked by the dispatch from Anderson, Ind., printed yesterday morning. The dispatch was to the effect that the anti-child labo law, just enacted by the Indiana Legisla-"will close every bottle and flint ture,

glass factory in the gas belt."

Why? Because "about 75 per cent of the labor is done by children under 12 years of

What can be expected, what can be hoped for, in a country where the children are put to work in factories before they are 12 years old, while the rich can spend on a single evening's senseless entertainmen \$200,000, or the labor of 200 men for two years at an average of \$10 per week?

From the Washington Post.

If ex-Secretary Francis desires to avoid are race cups, to be given as prizes." "If some unpleasant press notices he will scratch the Missouri rural newspapers from



his exchange list.

They are coming from Ohio, They are crowding in from Mai From mountain top they're atrea From valley and from plain.

## PINGREE ON TRUSTS.

While I believe in protection, I have no sympathy whatever for trusts, and if I were in Mr. McKinley's place, every time one of these 'combines' was formed to raise the

prices I would have the tariff commission empowered to take off all duties on the trust's product, and then we should have free trade with a vengeance.

"As regards gas and other kinds of mon-

vater, gas and street car tracks. The trouble with our country to-day is that there is too much dishonesty on all sides. Incorporated bodies desire the con-trol of everything and want to run things to suit themselves. They influence Congress and State Legislatures to such an extent that scandals are cropping out every

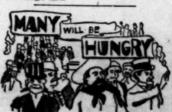
"Look at the big scandal that the Sugar the country. The innocent stockholders are squeezed in order that a few men en the

the plate in New York!

"If such a law were passed, cutting off permitted to veneer their robberies and illgotten gains by donations and charities, we should soon see the plutocrats pass off the plane of action and become less hoggish

for the country it would be this."

Unpleasant Notices.





Gown of White Broadcloth.

One of the most daring of recent gorgeous gowns is of white broadcloth with bolero jacket of black broadcloth embroidered closely in heavy gold thread. The vest is of white accordion platted chiffon, spangled with gold. It has a crush collar with bow in the back. In the front is a jabot.

The jabot, which extends from the throat nearly to the waist line, is of black accordion platted mousseline de sole. A folded white belt of the black broadcloth finishes the waist.



I have a child almost 6 months old. She is

MRS. CHARLES.

Kindly advise me what to do to enlarge one of my limbs below the knee. It was formerly as large as the other, but after having an abscess of my ankle lanced it became two inches smaller and has never developed. It is the inner part of the calf.

You should go to an institution where hydropathic massage is administered and take treatment. Wonderful results have been obtained by this method in cases similar to tained by this method in cases similar to

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE. franchise, is to the car companies what store rent is to the merchant—and yet there is hardly a retail or wholesale merchant in

On either side of the front breadth of the skirt is a gold and black braided ornament reaching twelve inches below the belt. The bottom of the skirt is finished with a band of gold and black braid. The sleeves are the now common coat sleeves, and, below the puff fall three loops of the black and gold braid caught up on the shoulder by an ornament of jet and gold. This was worn to a dinner on board an ocean warship.

Feverishness in Children.

Bracelets Again.

(The Post-Dispatch does not hold itself res ible for any opinions or statements of facts in these letters. It is a free parliament.)

"Gambling Is Gambling." To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

To an interested outsider who is skilled in making fine distinctions it is

whether done by aristocratic sports at a high-toned(?) race track or induiged in by ragged roustabouts or homeless tramps in the shady precincts of Pool Alley.

It is recorded that when the racing season opened at the Fair Grounds last spring several presidents of banks in St. Louis called their employes before them and kindly admonished them to keep away from the races. The pool-rooms were then closed and even if opened probably would not have offered any inducements to the employes of a bank to invest the money of themselves and their employers on the shadowy studs whose performances they affect to chronicle. But a fashionable gambling track, patronized by the elite of society, where vice is cloaked in the garb of virtue and masquerades as an innocent amusement, these wise managers of large trust funds knew offered temptations to gambling that to many of their employes would prove well nigh irresistible.

The States adjoining Missouri have driven out the race track, with its attendant evils, and have elevated themselves in the respect of the world by so doing. Is the State of Missouri prepared to offer an asylum even for ninety days in the year to this army of gentlemen gamblers bearing upon their foreheads the mark of banishment from States whose moral standing is higher than our own? If so, then the Lagislature ought to plant itself on that Jeffersonian principle of equal and exact justice to all, and by the same law that opens the gentlemen's gambling season at the Fair Grounds, the dingy rooms opening on Pool Alley should also come under protection of law, or else both should be alike forbidden.

The Missouri Legislature cannot afford to return to its constituents under the necessity of explaining that gambling is gambling, when a poor devil in Pool Alley bets 25 cents on a fake race in New Orleans, but is quite a high-toned and reputable amusement when an aristocratic dude stakes \$1.000 on Plunger unit de fashionable environments of our late lamented great World's Fair.

Fredericktown, Mo., March 10.

#### able environments of our late lament great World's Fair. R. F. CHEW Fredericktown, Mo., March 10. The City Campaign.

to the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

For years your paper has been such an open and avowed advocate of the city's getting its just and rightful value for its public franchises that I am surprised now at its lukewarmness regarding Mr. Meriwether's candidacy for Mayor.

He is the only candidate before the people who has come out in positive terms and states that he is in favor of just what you have been advocating. He is the only candidate who has come out in such a way, with a platform that no one can say is doubtful.

Hot Milk as a Tonic.

To Freshen Stale Cake.

A loaf of cake that has got stale and dry may be freshened so as to seem newly-baked cake by putting it in a tin, covering the tin with another pan and leaving the whole in a warm oven about twenty min-utes.

For Children's Dresses

When purchasing material for a dress for a child it is always economical to provide enough extra material for a second pair of sleeves. The elbows wear out so farcespecially for a little girl who goes to school, that frequently a dress has to be cast aside on account of the sleeves long before its usefulness is otherwise ended.

Preventives of Illness

Harriet Hubbard Ayer's recipe to rid the face of pimples and blackheads is as follows:
The scrubbing brush, a pure soap and hot water will be beneficial. Scrub your face well just before going to bed, dry it carefully and apply the following cintment:
Lanoline, five grams; sweet almond oil, five grams; sulphur (precipitated), five grams; oxide of zinc, two and a half grams; violet extract, one-half gram. Mix the sulphur and zinc first carefully together; then add the almond oil a little at a time; next add the lanoline and perfume.

#### THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE.

continually constipated, and I do not be-lieve in injections. What would you advise as a remedy. I give her condensed Milk. as a remedy. I give her con

Condensed milk is very poor food for in-fants. Arrange with a dairy to let you have milk from one cow. In feeding dlute the milk with one-third warm water and use a little sugar. This is the best known substi-tute for mother's milk.

Try wrapping the infant in a large soft towel wrung out of tepid water and then rolling in a woolen blanket in case of feverishness from teething or any other cause. The evaporation of the water draws off the heat, while the moisture soothes the nerves and the child will soon fall into a quiet sleep. A new bracelet has appeared. It is a self-closing one of filigree sliver, which has an accommodating method of snugly fitting the thinnest arm. Another bracelet its made in plain gold, studded with turquoises and pearls and finished at the clasp with a tiny watch or an ornate decoration, heart-shaped and thickly begemmed.

is hardly a retail or wholesale merchant in is hardly a retail or wholesale merchant in the city who is not forced by our laws to pay for the privilege, or franchise, of doing business, from 5 to 20 per cent of their gross receipts. It is paid in the form of rent, The car companies have a further ad-vantage. Theirs is a monopoly. The mer-chant has no such protection and has to vantage. Theirs is a monop chant has no such protecti-fight competition. Is it disc prise?—a desire to crush cor ing for public privileges, to s

rather mystifying to learn that the same legislators who are opposed to licensing pool-rooms in St. Louis are perfectly willing to license book-making for ninety days at the Fair Grounds race track, that the same sort of gambling may be carried on there as in the pool-rooms. We think the country is entitled to know the ground on which this fine distinction is based. To the average man with ordinary convictions on moral subjects gambling is gambling. whether done by aristocratic sports at a high-toned(?) race track or indulged in by ragged roustabouts or homeless tramps in the shady precincts of Pool Alley.

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# WAITING ON A JAW CARNIVAL

JULIAN, BRADY, SILER AND STUART TALK OVER RULES.

LONG BOB IS STILL BALKING.

The Referee Has Something Further to Say Regarding His Construction of the Queensberry Laws.

CARSON CITY, Nev., March 12.-Corbett did not vary the routine of his training to-day, but there was nothing in the least rebling monotony in the exercises for the who are diding him in his work. He began the day with a ten-mile trot over the fast drying roads. He entered on the af-ternoon work at the wrist machine, following it up with bag-punching and hand-ball. He played five games of hand-ball with Joe Corbett as his partner, the brothers being matched against a pair of professionals who had somewhat the better of the argu-

Without a moment's rest, after the handball game, Jim donned a sweater and took on McVey for a wrestling bout. White then sent "Big" Jeffries into the arena, and the California giant had a decidedly unpleasant three-minute experience with the swift gloves of the champion. Woods followed, the champion taxing the strength of the pneumatic headgear to the utmost. Joe Corbett and Mcwey were then again taken on. After a good rub-down Corbett was seen to be in excellent condition and spirits, and it called from Trainer White a reiteration of the opinion that his man could not possibly be in better shape for

could not possibly be in better shape for the contest on March 17.

Fitzsimmons started the morning with an eight mile run, and upon his return to the ranch boxed with Steizner and Hickey. A rub down finished all the work of the morning. Fitzsimmons was full of interest regarding the conference on rules, which is scheduled for a late hour this afternoon. He agaia declared he did not want any hitting with one arm free, and said that, notwithstanding all that had been said, he did not consider such ruling at all favorable to his



vie of fighting. All he wants is anything ir to both parties. le of fighting. All he wants is anything r to both parties.

The tramps commenced coming West a ek or so ago. At every station west of den there are from three to a dozen. So the trainmen have been able to keep m from stealing rides, but a few have ceeded in reaching here.

Large crowd was at the depot on the ival of this morning's train expecting to John L. Sullivan. He did not come, it is thought that he will not be here il Monday or Tuesday.

side from the puglilists, their trainers i attendants and a score of newspaper n, there are, perhaps, not fifty strangers own, including half a dozen women who ce come to see the fight. The Legislatis estill in session, doing little or nothand will doubtless not adjourn until morrow or Monday, as none of the meminated going home until after the t.

George Green, "Young Corbett," who is to fight "Mysterious" Billy Smith, and who, in the early part of the week, fell into the Carson River, has met with another accident, and this time one that may hurt his chances in the ring. In boxing to-day he struck his trainer, McArthur, on the head, apraining his thumb very badly, it is hoped

### TO CURE NERVORS DYSPEPSIA.

settles; still others are troubled with loss of fields and appetite, with accumulation of gas, accumulations of the state of the still of the still collected.

Are A. W. Sharper of No. 61 Project Pr



by Green that his hand will be all right, but it will probably put him back in his trainfall.

Kicks, howis and roars, yawps, groans and growls, objections, protests and remonatorial rands. Nothing else can be heard for a radius of ten miles around the Fitzsimmons ranch this morning. George Slier of a radius of ten miles around the Fitzsimmons ranch this morning. George Slier is sand thrown the whole Fitz crew, wife, the bargain, into an assorted lot of fancy epilepuc fits. "We won't agree" is the chorus which goes up like a rocket and explodes in mid-air. That is why I say that permitting the men to strike with one hand free is the chorus which goes up like a rocket and explodes in mid-air.

Dan Stuart is racking his throbbing brain and shaking his poor, great dope-laden body in a mighty effort to bring about peace. George Slier is sore that he should be accused of any through the standard shaking his poor, great dope-laden body in a mighty effort to bring about peace. George Slier is sore that he should be accused of any through the standard shaking his poor, great dope-laden body in the least of the standard shaking his poor, great dope-laden body in the least of the standard shaking his poor, great dope-laden body in the least of the standard shaking his poor, great dope-laden body in a mighty effort to bring about peace. George Slier is sore that he should be accused of any through the standard shaking his poor, great dope-laden body in a mighty effort to bring about peace. George Slier is sore that he should be accused of any through the standard shaking his poor, great dope-laden body in a mighty effort to bring about peace. George Slier is sore that he should be accused of any through the standard shaking his poor, great dope-laden body in a mighty effort to bring about peace. George Slier is sore that he should his the fact to be accused of any through the standard shaking his poor, great dope-laden body in a mighty effort to bring about peace. George Slier is sore that he should him to strike with one



MRS. "JIM" CORBETT. if I have a man present when the agree-ment is made that is all I can ask."

To Gain Flesh, to Sieep Well, to Know What Appetite and Good Digrestion Mean, Make a Test of Stuart's Dyspepsis Tablets.

Interesting Experience of an Indianape lis Gentleman.

No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think that their nerves are to blame and are surprised that they are not cured by nerve medicine and spring remedies; the real seat of the mischief is lost sight of; the stomach is the organ to be looked after.

Nervous dyspepsia shows itself not in the stomach, nor perhaps any of the usual symptoms of stomach weakness. Nervous dyspepsia shows itself not in the stomach is one of the heart palpitates and is irregular; in others the kidneys are affected; in other the kidneys are affected; in others the kidneys are affected; in others the kidneys are affected; in others the kidneys are af

From the New York Evening Telegram.

fect on the betting in this city. Corbett's adherents, while apparently eager to wager, did so with various stipulations. Some of Fitzsimmons' friends, who held out for to 10, are now compromising at 8 to 10, and 5 to 4. Several wagers at 6 to 4 on Corbett have been recorded.

Offers to wager that the men will never fight have been made. These men are of the opinion that there will be a squabble over the rules before March 17.

Emanuel Friend has been commissioned to wager \$1,000 to \$800 on Corbett. J. Duke Murray has got down another bet of \$200 to \$300 on Fitzsimmons. Joseph Arthur now declares that he will increase his sum from \$2,000 to \$6,000 and back Fitzsimmons. George Ridenly of Boston bet \$2,000 even on Corbett with Henry Sommers of London. England, in this city yesterday. Fred Tarai made a few small investments on Fitzsimmons. Despite the talk that there is a lot of Corbett money in sight, Tarai declares he could not find it yesterday. Louis Wormser says that he will bet \$7,000 against \$10,000 on Fitzsimmons.

BIG BASE BALL DEAL

Brooklyn Has Offered \$100,000 for the Cleveland Team and Franchise.

pecial to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 12.—The Brooklyn Base Ball Club made a cash offer of \$100,000 to Frank de H. Robison for the franchise to Frank de H. Robison for the franchise and players of the Cleveland club. The offer was so unexpected that the Cleveland magnate declined to say anything, except that he would consider it, but would probably refuse it. The Brooklyn officials, elated over the League's sanction to play 25-cent ball, are anxious to give the best article of ball to their home patrons that money can provide.

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Byrne and Abell have been considering the plan of putting up big money for star players and have been negotiating with Roblson for the release of Jack O'Connor, The Cleveland President did not refuse to listen to a deal for O'Connor, but when Byrnes eprung the \$100,000 offer he was completely taken by surprise.

In the event of Robison's acceptance of Brooklyn's offer, Cleveland would probably remain in the League circuit, with a team made up of many of the present Brooklyn men and some extra players who are with Tobeau now. The franchise would be compelled to run a club in the Forest City until the unanimous consent of the League could be secured to transfer the franchise to some other city.

President Byrne has closed a deal with Cincinnati, whereby Short Stop Ritchey will play under Ewing's management.

### FRANCIS WILSON REBELS.

Comic Opera Comedian and the Theatrical Trust Fall Out.

NEW YORK, March 12.-Owing to com plication involving a clash of dates with De Wolf Hopper, Francis Wilson has re-belled against the Theatrical Trust conrolled by Messrs, Hayman, Frohman, Rich, Harris, Nixon, Zimmerman, Klaw and Er-

nger.
When it came to playing in Baltimore and
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Vashington, Mr. Wilson was told that he
vashington, and the Academy of Music and
told Lafayette Square Theater, respectively,
to Lafayette Square Theater, respectively, all his previous engagements have been lied at Ford's, in Baltimore, and the National in Washington. Mr. Wilson rebelled, and his time at the Philadelphia house, concolled by the syndicate, was promptly canded. Wilson then refused to play the syndrate dates in other cities.

#### INDIANA LOST RIVER.

Evidence That It Runs Under the Town of Orleans.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 12.-For nany years the invisible course of the fanous Lost River, which suddenly sinks mous Lost River, which suddenly sinks from view at a point near the town of Orleans, has incited scientific inquiry. No trace of this underground river was ever discovered until the recent heavy rains. It is now believed that Lost River runs directly under the town of Orleans. This belief is based mainly upon the fact that during the recent flood the water burst forth from what was supposed to be a small cave in such volumes that the town was flooded. The water has now ceased to flow from the cave, but any one standing near the entrance can hear the rushing of the torrent, apparently hundreds of feet below.

#### FANATICS AND REBELS.

They Keep Busy the Brazil and Uruguay Governments.

NEW YORK, March 12.-The Herald's correspondent in Rio Janeiro, Brazil, advised that the Government has started 10,000 men to Bahia and will send three war vessels, four quick-fire batterles and several other companies of volunteer troops to Bahia against the fanatics. It is now proved that aid in the form of money and arms has been extended to the fanatics by the monarchists.

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The Herald also has the following cable-gram from Buenos Ayres, Argentina:

Advices from Montevideo, Uruguay, are that there is a report there that the Uruguayan rebels have captured the town of San Jose. It is announced by the Government authorities that a battle with the revolutionists is imminent, and preparations are being made to that end.

#### Given \$50,000 Damages.

NEW YORK, March 12.—In the suit of Mrs. Margaret P. Buchanan against Mrs. Kate M. Foster for the alienation of the affections of her husband, Dr. Alexander Buchanan, a verdict for \$50,000 damages was given. The trial lasted five days, though the defense introduced no witnesses.

Some of Dreher's Jurors Sorry They testified to his insanity. Here's some thing you'll never regret-those strictly all-

wool Suits for Boys. Honestly worth \$3 and \$3.50 at \$1.45 and \$1.95. Boys' Long Pants Suits up to 18, full worth \$6.50, Satur-Globe, N. W. Cor. 7th and Franklin av.

### TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Ex-Senator David B. Hill is sick at Washington.

The St. Paul (Minn.) Plow Co. has assigned.

Gregory & August, dry goods, Beeville, Tex., have assigned.

William J. Bryan addressed the Tennessee Legislature on Thursday.

Bat Masterson's charges of bribery against Colorado Senators were not sustained.

Red O'Brien, the St. Joseph (Mo.) bank robber, was sentenced to the pen for twelve years.

The Southern Pacific Company agrees to pay the franchise tax to the State of Kentucky.

A citizens' meeting at New York voted against ratification of the arbitration treaty.

Mother McKinley and Miss Helen McKinley have returned to Canton from Washington.

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The sailing vessel Bischoff, 218 days from Japan, and given up for lost, has arrived at New York. at New York.

The Board of Managers of the Leavenworth Soldiers' Home will meet in Washington March 23.

EX-President Cleveland made a short stop at Washington on his return trip from hunting in the South. A young woman registering as Mrs. K. Jenney Dolan, Middletown, O., tried to commit suicide at Indianapolis.

was hanged in the jail yard here at \$:20 to-day.

James J. Irwin, a prosperous but rather filiterate farmer, was found dead in his bed on the night of Aug. 2, 1896, his brains having been blown out with a shot-gun. Investigation disclosed guilty intimacy between the man's wife and George Matthews. Embedded in the brain of the murdered man was a scrap of newspaper which had been used for wadding for the load, and in Matthews' cabin was found the newspaper from which it had been torn. His arrest and that of Mrs. Irwin followed. A verdict of murder in the first degree was secured against Matthews.

He then made a confession implicating Mrs. Irwin as an accessory. The woman secured a change of venue to Baltimore, but when she was put on trial Matthews-refused to testify against her. He being sentenced to death, there was no way to punish him for contempt, and the woman's acquittal followed. A vigilance committee was organised in Charles County, and she was warned not to return to that locality, which warning she has thus far obeyed. Matthews was removed to Baltimore for safe keeping, He has maintained a stolcal demeanor, and steadfastly refused to further implicate the woman. mit suicide at Indianapolis.

L. Bohan, a white man, and Joe Murphy, a negro, fought a pistol duel near Texarkana, Ark. The negro will die.

The attorneys of Frank Butler, the Australian murderer, will appeal his case to the United States Supreme Court. It has been discovered that many important documents have been stolen from the departments at Washington.

"Be wise to-day-'tis madness to defer." "Eat, drink and be merry, for to-morrow ye die."

# OneMoreDay

To-morrow Night we close forever. We will hold a Carnival of Riotous Prices To-morrow. To-morrow we will sell for

# Any Price It Will Bring:

\$30,000 WORTH OF MEN'S CLOTHING. \$8,000 WORTH OF HATS AND FURNISHINGS. \$10,000 Worth Shoes for Men, Women and Children. \$1,000 Worth of Kitchen Ware, China. Bric-a-Brac, Etc.

> To-morrow we bid farewell. We will open the throttle under a full head of steam! We will thunder down the grade with a shriek and roar! Smash through the tottering trestle and rush to destruction head on. Prices crushed, broken, maimed and mangled, and to add to the excitement we will give away the wreck to all who are fortunate enough to gain admittance at prices which are far below credence or belief. Come early if you want the pick of all at your



ARTHUR MAYHEW

PAID THE SUPREME PENALTY

FOR A BRUTAL MURDER.

RETRIBUTION AT SING SING.

He Had Waylaid Old Stephen Powell

and Killed Him for Pur-

poses of Robbery.

SING SING, N. Y., March 12 .- Arthur

favhew was electrocuted in the pen here

stead L. L. gas works, closed his office and

GEORGE MATTHEWS HANGED.

He Committed a Murder on Account of

a Woman.

t 11:191/2 o'clock this morning.

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# Men's Suits and Overcoats.

150 SPRING OVERCOATS. \$15 and \$18 qualities, cut to

LADIES' OXFORDS. 70 pairs Ladies' Oxfor

Boys' Waists and Blouses.

Men's Spring Underwear.

### AT 3 CENTS.

Ash Sifters mmers, Match Safes. Towel Racks, Soup Strainers, Cake Cutters,

Sponge Racks, Tea Strainers, Cork Removers Tooth Picks, Dish Mops.

AT 10 CENTS. Decorated China Plates,
Cream Pitchers,
Covered Sugar Bowls,
Covered Chambers,
Pickle Dishes,
Celery Trays,
Salad Bowls.

Water Pitchers,
Cake Plates,
Covered Butters

AT 15 CENTS. Sugar and Cream, Tea Pots, Cups and Saucers, Vases, Bric-a-brac, Delft, Coffee Pots, Wash Bow Sugar Bowls

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SHAUN RHUE.

OLYMPIC. MATINERDAY. LILIPUTIANS

blemishes, rheumatism, etc. First month's treatment

NEW YORK, March 12.—At 11 o'clock the night of March 7, 1896, Stephen Powell, the 70-year-old superintendent of the Hemp-LADIES will receive special and careful treat-ment for all their many allments.

PRIVATE DISEASES Syphilis, Stricture,
Tenderness, Weakness

of Organs, Piles, Fistula, quickly cured pain or detention from business. NERVOUS DEBILITY Night Emissions

Dr. Matthew Henry Ko Ilock

Regular Graduate and Registered Physician.

Formerly Assistant Surgeon U. S. Navy

afterwards Post Surgeon U. S. Army, and later Surgeon British Marine Ser-

vice, with two years experience as Physician at Hot Springs, Ark., will welcome the sick and afflicted at his

office, where consultation with one of the most successful doctors of the

present age is cordially invited. All will receive kind and honorable treat

ment, and permanent cures are guar

WANTED.

Ladies to inspect my medicated bath for facial

DR. KOLLOCK. LA PLATA, Md., March 11.—George Matthews, the murderer of James J. Irwin, was hanged in the jail yard here at 8:30 to-TOB PINE ST.,

two were found in the ruins. The rescued child remained unconscious for several weeks, but finally recovered. It was her evi-dence that convicted Sullivan

CLEVER RASCAL IN JAIL. Passed in London as a U. S. Senate

NEW YORK, March 12-William Carroll NEW YORK, March 12—William Carroll Woodward, alias Musgrove, alias Hawley, and a woman named Sunkey, were arrested yesterday for the robbery of a Philadelphia jeweier of \$2,000 worth of jeweiry. Woodward is said to be one of the slickest crooks in the country. He is said to have worked his games in Indiana, South Africa and other places and to have possed in the West End of London as "United States Senator Musgrova." He grained admittance to the best society and the clubs and robbed everyone with whom he came in contact.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 12.—The Federal Grand-Jury yesterday returned ninety-one indictments, using 50 type-written pages to do it, against J. M. McKnight, late President of the defunct German National Bank. He is accused of embersiement, faise entry and faise report in ninety-one cases. Bond was fixed at \$11,000, which up to a late hour was not given. Indictments were issued against Aldermen Jenne, Leathermen, King. Bruer and Britt for complicity in the failure.

JOHANN HOFF'S FLESH AND BLOOD

### AMUSEMENTS.

14TH STREET THEATER-14th and Local JOSEPH MURPHY. sting To-Night (Friday), Saturday and see Saturday Matinee, Popular prices will prevail.

Next Week—THE NANCY HANKS.

MERRY TRAMPS.

THE SALE OF SEATS NOW GOING ON FOR CHARLES HOPPER

MARCH IATH. .. CHIMMIE FADDEN. CENTURY THEATER.

The Comedy Hit of the Season,

MY FRIEND FROM INDIA...

HILARIOUS FUN FROM RIBE TO

FALL OF CUETAIN.

Next Sunday—"TOO MUCH JOHNSON." STANDARD | TO-NIGHT AT &

South Before the War

Smoking Concerts every night. Next Week-MIACO'S CITY CLUB. HOPKINS OPAND HOUSE It to 10:30 Every Day-Continuous. Stock Company in The Octoroon. The Great Drams, The Octoroon. VAUDEVILLE— Frants Yamily, Ren Harney, VAUDEVILLE— Treet violette, Toin Lewis, Chas. Ernest and many others. 10e, 20c, 30c.

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# HOODLUMS MAY MAKE TROUBLE

REPUBLICANS HAVE THE FIRST SHY AT THE VOTERS' LIST.

HOW THE INDIANS MAY VOTE.

Ward Heelers Will Distribute Them Where Their Services Will Demand the Highest Price.

It is believed by certain Democrats, who have been making an investigation, that Boss Filley's Hoodlums are preparing to carry out a bold scheme of fraud in several down-town wards on the day of the Republican primaries. It is a scheme simply cause much annoyance and dissension

among Democrats. The trick is simple. The Republican pri-maries take place on March 18, one day be-fore the Democratic primaries. According to the new primary law, the same register containing all the names of the qualified voters in a precinct is to be used at both

roters in a precinct is to be used at both party primaries, and when a man casts his ballot the word "voted" is marked opposite his name on the register.

As the Republican primaries are held first the Republicans will use the register first. And now the question is asket:

"What is to prevent the Republicans from marking the word voted opposite the sames of a large number of Democrats?"

"This new primary law has been heraided as a good thing because it is supposed to stop what we call the 'indians' from voting at both primaries," said an experienced practical politician. "But it won't do it. The 'Indians' will vote where they have always voted, and they will do so at both the Republican and Democratic primaries, too. Ward heelers 'playing both sides of the street' will nave an understanding. The 'Indians' do not confine themselves to one presinct, but they strike a trail from one ward to another, especially in the down-town section. They vote under different names each time, of course.

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tion. They vote under different names each time, of course.

"I must admit that the new primary law being in force at these primaries for the first time, and the day of registration being too late to allow newly registered names to be voted, the 'Indian' vote will be materially reduced this time. The names under which they could vote will not be on the register used at the polis. But wait until the primaries come again, and I venture to say that the register will be padded the same as it has always been, and the 'Indians' will vote then almost the same as heretofore, too.

same as it has always been, and the indians' will vote then almost the same as heretofore, too.

"The fact that the new primary law compels an 'Indian' to take an oath is supposed to be a deterrent against fraudulent voting. But little things like an oath are no bugbear for a political 'Indian,' and he will give that and then laugh at it. The new law, to a certain extent, will prevent 'Indians' from voting at both primaries. The heelers can divide them, however.

"Filley undoubtedly has the advantage over the Democratis in this matter this year. When an 'Indian' sees any wampum in sight he is liable to vote at the first primary that comes along. The Republican primaries come first and the 'Indians' will be offered big inducements to vote because the factional fight in the Republican party is better. But when the 'Indians' vote their fictitious names this year they will run the limit on the register and cannot vote at the Democratic primaries.

"But I can't see what is to prevent the Republicans from marking the word 'voted' after a great many names on the register, anyway, and that would cause much confusion at the Democratic primaries, where the same books are used next day."

#### MERIWETHER MASS MEETING. Music Hall Is to Be Crowded Saturday Night.

Lee Meriwether and his friends are making preparations for a monster mass meetat Music Hall Saturday night.

Isfactory to the Plutocratic and taxdodging street car companies? The only
way Democracy can win is by nominating a champion of popular rights. Lee
Meriwether will sweep the city. Let
every taxpayer and workingman attend
the primaries. The day of the boss is
over; the rule of the people is at hand.
Attend the great Meriwether MassMeeting at Exposition Hall, Olive, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets,
Saturday, March 13, 8p. m.

Meeting at Exposition Hall, Chive, tween Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, Saturday, March 13, 8 p. m.
Each aticker bears the label of the Allied Printing Trades Council.
The strong card of the meeting is Prof. E. W. Bemis, who recently occupied the chair of Political Economy in Chicago University, but was dismissed by order of John D. Rockefeller because he taught anti-trust doctrines. Prof. Bemis will speak in favor of the Meriwether platform.
George Schilling, ex-Labor Commissioner of Illinois; Hon. Elliot W. Major and H. Martin Williams of Jefferson City; Congressman-elect Cochran of St. Joe and W. A. J. Sparks of Carlyle, Ill., are the out-of-town orators. orators.

Mr. Meriwether and a number of local speakers will make short addresses.

### TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION.

The Faction That Gets It Will Run the Convention.

"I can't say just what the powers of the Election Commissioners are in regard to granting certificates of election to a delegation which is contested from the primar-les," said Secretary Saunders of the Elec-

"The new primary law says that the Elec-The new primary law says that the Election Commissioners shall give a certificate of election to the delegation holding the largest number of votes on the face of the returns. The delegations holding our certificates are seated in the convention, and have a voice in the temporary organization. That means, of course, that the delegations holding Election Board certificates will compose the temporary roll-call of the convention. And any faction that controls the temporary roll-call can run the convention from that time on, ninety-nine times out of a hundred.

"Therefore, it is plain that the first step

the returns. "But if a delegation comes to this office without its returns having been signed by all the judges and clerks and asks for a certificate, and at the same time the judges who have refused to sign make a eccond return and claim the others have committed or permitted fraud, the question arises, "How will the Election Commissioners decide which delegation is entitled to a certificate."

convention. One faction, it is said, would only have to enter a sufficient number of protests and get Election Board certificates for enough delegations to control the temporary roll call. Then a Credentials Committee to their own liking could be easily obtained, and it would decide all contests the right way.

To-Night's Meetings. Third Ward Republicans—Georger's Hall, eventeenth and Singleton streets. Ziegen-

Third Ward Republicans—Georger's Hall, Seventeenth and Singleton streets. Ziegenhein rally.
Young Men's Democratic Club—816 Morgan street. Speakers: Capt. Joseph Brown, Lee Meriwether, E. A. Noonan, George P. Wolff.
Twenty-fifth Ward Republicans—Pacific Hall, 300 Chouteau av. Speakers: Charles Nagel and Franklin Ferrias.
Twenty-second Ward Abraham Lincoln Renublican Club—Hashagen Hall, Leonard and Easton avenues. Speakers: Ziegenhein, Starkloff. Sampson, Nagel.
Twenty-second Ward, Ninth Precinct Democratic—Hashagen's Hall, Leonard and Easton avenues.
Third Ward Democratic Club—737 South Seventh street, 7:30 p. m. Speakers: E. A. Noonan, Joe Brown, Lee Meriwether.
Thirteenth Ward Clvic Federation Club—Musical and oratorical entertainment. Carondelet Hall, Michigan and Robert avenues. Speakers: Dr. W. W. Boyd, Rabbi Leon Harrison.
Fifth Ward McKiniev Club—Ninth and

h Ward McKinley Club-Ninth and d streets. rth Ward, Eighth Precinct, Demo-Heitkamp's Hall, 1125 North Tenth

street.

Lee Meriwether speaks at following places: McFern's Hall, Coleman and North Market streets. Twenty-fourth Ward: Bod's Hall, Clayton and Manchester road, Twenty-eighth Ward: Jefferson Hall, Jefferson and Lucas avenues, Seventeenth Ward; Stanislaus Hall, Twenty-first street, between O'Fallon street and Cass avenue, Fourteenth Ward; Rippe's Hall, 410 North Broadway, Fourth Ward; Berlocher's Hall, Thirteenth and Wyoming streets, Ninth Ward.

Second Ward McKinley Prices 1

Ward.

Second Ward McKinley Reform Club.
Lightstone's Hall, Eleventh street and
Franklin avenue.
Democratic mass-meeting, Clifton
Heights, Vera Hall, Speakers: Joseph
Brown, Walter Vrooman, W. H. O'Brien,
E. M. Vance.

Political Notes.

Zach Tinker, a brewery man, is men-loned as acceptable Democratic timber for the City Council.

Charles J. Denny is making an active canvass for the Democratic nomination for the House of Delegates in the Third Ward.

The Noonan forces emphatically deny that the independent Democratic delegation in the Twenty-first Ward is a Noonan "dummy."

Henry Steinlage President Henry Steinlage, President of the St. Louis Dairymen's Association, has an-nounced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for the City Council. He lives a North St. Louis.

in North St. Louis.

The Fourth Ward Regular Republican
League Club met in Rippe's Hall, 1310 North
Broadway, Thursday night and indorsed
Dr. Starkloff for Mayor and George Grassmuck for the House of Delegates. The regular Democratic delegation in the Twenty-eighth Ward is not a Noonan delegation, according to Committeeman John Duffy, who filed it. He says it is strictly unpledged and is for the best man if it is elected.

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The Eighth Ward Democratic Precinct Committee met at Hanneman's Hall, 4820 North Broadway, Wednesday evening and elected Jos. W. Harrington, Chairman; M. J. Oppenlander, Viec Chairman; F. X. Becherer, Treasurer; John P. Crowley, Secretary, and Stephen Ahearn, Sergeant-at-arms.

The Twenty-fifth Ward South Side Bryan Club was organized Wednesday night. Val. W. Frank was elected President; James McCluskey, Vice-President; Geo. Niel. Secretary; Robert J. Lynch, Treasurer; W. J. Seyton, Sergeant-at-arms. The club meets again to-night at the southeast corner of Cardinal avenue and Hickory street.

The Nineteenth Ward Harrison Democratic Club met last night at Twenty-first street and Clark avenue and enrolled sixty new members, bringing the total membership up to 125. William F. Farley, candidate for the House of Delegates, withdrew in favor of Thomas Kinnavey. The club meets Wednesday and Saturday nights.

### DIDN'T TAKE POISON.

Annie O'Brien Merely Had Trouble With Her Gastric Juices.

Annie O'Brien, who was taken to the ing at Music Hall Saturday night.

E. F. Greyson, Chairman of the Meriwether Campaign Committee, says he has 550 precinct workers, each one of whom has promised to bring ten men to this mass meeting. This means 5,700 men—a sufficient number to crowd the vast hall. It is expected that a great many more will be present. Seats will be reserved for ladies.

"Over 50,000 tickets to the meeting have been distributed, and then we have sent out 180,000 miniature stickers, advertising this meeting," said Chairman Greyson.

Here is a sample of one form of the stickers:

DEMOCRATS.

What is the use of nominating a Democracy can win is by nominating a champion of popular rights. Lee Meriwether will sweep the city. Let every taxonyer and workingman attend and has resumed her miden name. City Hospital Thursday evening, supposed

### FIGHT IN A KITCHEN.

Restaurant Cook Resents the Intrusion of an Oral Advertisement.

A pitched battle took place in the kitchen of the Grand Restaurant, on Sixth street, at 7:30 o'clock Friday morning. Gilbert Jaat 7:30 o'clock Friday morning. Gilbert Janett, who is paid to stand in front and proclaim to passersby what they may obtain
on the inside, ventured into the kitchen.
Jim Gleason, a cook, resented the intrusion, and went for the crier hammer and
tongs. He applied foul names and fouler
blows. Janette's face resembled a raw beef
steak when he got out.
He went to the Four Courts and told his
troubles to the Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, and asked for a warrant for the
cook. He was referred to the Police Court.

### "KNOCK-OUT DROPS."

Stuff Given to W. H. Stewart to Be Analyzed.

Chief of Detectives Desmond has sent to Dr. Edgar Thompson of the Dispensary staff the bottle which is supposed to have contained the "knock-out drops" administered to W. H. Stewart. Dr. Thompson will analyze the contents. He thinks it is laudanum.

It is understood that the defense will be that the man was killed by the efforts to resuscitate him at the Dispensary.

Free Reclining Chair Cars On all Wabash trains.

Invitation to Mr. Moody.

About thirty pastors and officers of City Evangelical churches met at the Y. M. C. A. building, Grand and Franklin avenues. Thursday afternoon, and drafted a formal invitation to Evangelist Dwight L. Moody to hold services in St. Louis from March 24 to 25, inclusive. Two committees were appointed, one to arrange for the meeting and another to have charge of the services. The evangelist expressed a preference for one date, March 25, A resolution was passed and forwarded to Mr. Moody in Cincinnati asking to hold the services later in the spring, when the hall could be secured, or in some large church.

Corbett and Pitzsimmons Come to St. Louis

To see those New Styles Ready-Made or Made-to-Order Suits at \$7.50 to \$15. Finest materials, and from \$2.50 to \$5 less than competitors sell them for.
Globe, N. W. Cor. 7th and Franklin av.

Union Club Entertainment.

INVENTION OF JOHN R. FARMER. A ST. LOUIS ELECTRICIAN.

APPLIED TO STREET CARS.

If Successful, It Will Do Away With Overhead Wires and Underground Trolleys.

A patent has just been issued to a St. Louisan on a piece of electric mechanism that makes it possible for street railways to take a giant stride toward perfection, and this too at a cost less than that required to equip a road at present.

overhead wires, underground trolleys and makes accidents to individuals from contact with electric currents from these sources well nigh impossible.

John R. Farmer of 1507 North Jefferso venue is the originating genius, and the perfection of his plans has just been accom-plished after thirteen months' study and ex-Perimenting.
His invention is an electric railway ser-

rice system. The current is supplied from the power-house by means of a feed wire in the ground along the track. It is tapped off this wire into 8x10x17 cast iron magnet boxes buried in the center of the track at intervals of thirty feet, more or less, as the size of the car requires. In each box is an electrode magnet, compound wound, to stand from six-tenths of an ampere to 150

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This magnet acts on an armature, which applies and releases the current from the wires. Projecting from the top of this box about half an inch and level with the rail is a capper knob the size of a quarter. This the inventor terms the contact point, as it is through it the power passes into the motor of the car.

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IN KNOWLEDGE.
IN EXPERIENCE.
IN REPUTATION.
IN EQUIPMENT.
IN SUCCESS.
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# The new invention at once does away with YOUTHFUL THEE WITH NO HAIR.

ALBERT GEORGE WAS SHOT WHILE TRYING TO ESCAPE.

HE INTERESTS THE DOCTORS.

A Healthy Youth With a Head as Smooth as a Billiard Ball.

Albert George, aged 16, was detected while robbing Tamblyn & Powers' clothing store, 512 Locust street. While attempting to es-

cape he was shot in the right arm.
George and a companion named Haley broke the showcase of the clothing store. Haley was inside, when Private Watchman Martin Ryan of a burglar alarm company, The ordinary car can be used with but little alteration. Two powerful compound wound electrode magnets must be placed at either end, beneath the platforms or attached to the trucks and connecting these the traveling bar, made of thinly rolled copper. No other change is necessary. This bar, always touching the contact points, conveys the power into the motor.

When a car reaches a contact point the attraction from the car magnet passes down through the knob in the box and lifts

Haley was inside, when Private Watchman Martin Ryan of a burglar alarm company, with which the store is connected by wire, appeared on the scene in response to the automatic alarm. George saw him coming and ran. After a chase of several blocks, Ryan fired at the fugitive, striking him in the Tempoal and Panuca Rivers, which George was taken to the Four Courts and locked up after his wound was dressed at the Dispensary. He lives at 1410 North

THE HEART OF MEXICO.

It Will Soon Be in Direct Touch With St. Louis.

A contract providing for the channeling of the arm and halting him. Haley escaped.

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#### CUT DOWN IN TIME.

Wm. Gallagher Made an Unsuccessful Attempt at Suicide.

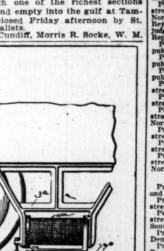
William Gallagher, aged 60 years, boarding at 1947 Madison street, made an unsuc-cessful attempt at suicide by hanging Thursday afternoon in the cellar of a vacant building at Cass and Jefferson ave-

He was seen going into the house with a rope and suspecting something wrong Patrolman Martin investigated. He found Gallagher dangling at the end of a rope tied to a cross-beam unconscious. He was sent to the City Hospital, where examination revealed no serious injury. He was out of work and despondent.

### THE HEART OF MEXICO.

ing of the others caught fire in severa places.

The injured men were removed to the company's office and the company's doctor sent for. He attended to the injuries, and last night the members of the commission left for Boston. The names of the injured were not given out. One of them is a Captain in the United States Navy and another a Lieutenant. A strong effort was made to keep the accident a secret, but it leaked out, but too late to secure the names.



### DIAGRAM OF FARMER'S ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

Mr. Farmer's patent also covers a method of controlling the negative as well as positive current by means of these boxes. Two boxes are placed in the ground and one is used for carrying off the negative current instead of using the rail, as is now done.

current instead of using the rail, as is now done.

This prevents the electricity from damaging underground pipes. The cost of putting as system of this kind will be about the same as it takes to equip a road now. For the location and correction of any of difficulty in the buried magnet boxes fuse boxes have been arranged for. These will boxes the placed on the sidewalk and have fuse a ground or short circuit should come on at one of the boxes in the street it blows the fuse in the box on the sidewalk. The location of the trouble is shown at once, but the box itself remains perfectly harmless to the public. The burnt out fuse can readily be replaced by a conductor or motormal as his car passes.

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Mr. Farmer has rigged up a dummy road, illustrating his idea. He placed a heavy bucket of ashes on his car, when showing his road in operation to a Post-Dispatch reporter, and it whisked around the curved track as easily and rapidly as when empty. The little armatures were picked up and dropped with clock-like regularity, and during the half hour's run not a hitch occurred.

curred.

A number of electricians and gentlemen interested it street railways have examined the new device, and are one in the opinion it should be a success. It is the inventor's intention to form a company and put his device on the market at once.

It is probable that a thorough test will be made within the next month by one of the local street railway companies. The change necessary to track and car is so slight that an experiment will cost but little.

Mr. Farmer Mr. Farmer is an electrical worker and the inventor of the electrical street car signal lamp. He was working on an underground trolley idea when he started planning the surface system, but abandoned the former when the advantages of the latter became so apparent to him.

the little armature, or connecting rod, with- Ninth street with his father, who is em- Samuel, B. F. Hammett and Prof. J. B. in. With the rail used for conveying the negative current, the circuit is thus completed and the electricity from the feed wire is permitted to flow out over the armature, through the little magnet, up into the knob which communicates it to the traveling bar, or troiley, and is delivered into the motor.

When the troiley has passed off the contact point the magnet in the box lets go of the armature and it drops, breaking the circuit. The illustration shows the circuit complete and broken.

The little box magnet is used solely to hold the armature in place while the car is passing and when the influence of the big magnet above is removed, the bar drops from it, leaving the box perfectly dead. Thus there is no current exposed at any time save directly beneath the car.

These boxes must be placed at such intervals as to allow the troiley to be continually in contact with one. had been baid for more than six months.

"A little more than a year ago," he said to Dr. Lippe, "I was stricken with typhoid fever. It was a pretty tough case, and I was laid up for several months. When I was taken down my hair was thick and black. It commeaced to come out, and by the time I was able to get up it was all gone. the time a was sold to gone.

"I tried some of the hair tonics, and for a while it looked as though the hair would grow out. Then it commenced to drop out again, and you can see the result. It feels funny, and I guess it looks funnier. It won't bother me in the summer, I guess, but in the winter it is pretty hard to keep my head warm.

the terms of the contract concessions were granted the participants valued at \$3,000,-000, comprising mainly coffee and sugar-land. Exclusive right was given to navi-gate the rivers, for ninety-nine years, duty free, and no taxes on property for twenty years. years.

The work of channeling the streams will begin in ten days, and with the assistance of a line of steamers to New Orleans the heart of Mexico will be open to St. Louis.

Compartment Sleeping Cars

#### On Wabash night trains to Chicago and Kansas City.

RUN DOWN AT LAST. Woodward, Who Protested His Innocence in St. Louis, Comes to Grief.

William Carroll Woodward, who protested so loudly against his arrest here three weeks ago, and who finally skipped his bond, has been placed behind the bars in New York. He is wanted in Philadelphia for the theft of \$3,000 worth of jewelry, and bond, has been placed behind the bars in youn't bother me in the summer, I guess, but in the winter it is pretty hard to keep my head warfact—the files may make it pretty interesting for me. I believe this is the result of using those preparations more than on account of the fever."

FARMER TIRED OF LIFE.

Wm. Wylie Attempts Suicide Several Times While Insane.

William Wylie, a farmer living near Marissa, was found hanging in the barn Wednesday. He was cut down and revived. He made several other desperate attempts at suicide, but was restrained. Thursday he was taken to Belleville and turned over to the County Court.

Judge Rhoads appointed Drs. Wangelin and Raba as an insanity commission. They prononeces with the asylum at Anna. He is 50 years old and unmarried. He was confined in the asylum once before.

PECULIAR ACCIDENT.

Government Steel Inspectors Hurt by a Gass Explosion.

PITTSBURG, Pa. March 12.—Three members of the Commission appointed by the Government to inspect the steel plants of the country with several members of the Carbon Steel Cov. were inspecting the plant and came to a furnace when the country with a view of obtaining information regarding the iron industries, met with several members of the Carbon Steel Cov. were inspecting the plant and came to a furnace was a many and was speciatine with several members of the Carbon Steel Cov. were inspecting the plant and came to a furnace was a march of the country with a view of obtaining information regarding the iron industries, met with several members of the Carbon Steel Cov. were inspecting the plant and came to a furnace was a march of the country with a view of obtaining information regarding the iron industries, met with several members of the Carbon Steel Cov. were inspecting the plant and came to a furnace was a march of the country with a view of obtaining information regarding the iron industries, met with several members of the Carbon Steel Cov. were inspecting the plant and came to a furnace was a march of the country with a view of obt

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FIRST WARD.

Precinct 1—Henry Metrger, 223 Elm street, Democratic judge.

Precinct 2—Ernst Huldwalker, 313 South Second street. Democratic judge: Patrick Healy, 220 South Main street, Democratic judge.

Precinct 3—Emil R. Remmber, 613 South Second street, Republican clerk.

Precinct 8—F. E. McCarthy, 108 North Eleventh street; Democratic judge.

Precinct 9—Jacob Aebly, 114 South Tenth street, Republican judge.

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Democratic judge; William Wollblock, 1112
avense, Republican judge;
inct 11-Charles H. Nordman, 1320 Spruce,
Republican judge; Louis F. Kaechelin, 500
Fourteenth street, Republican clerk.

SECOND WARD.

mocratic judge; w. Warlow, 1603 Locust Democratic judge; H. H. Summes, 1529 street, Democratic clerk; Frederick W., 1601 Olive street, Republican judge.

Precinct 1-James J. Sheridan, 213 Cedar street Democratic clerk.
Precinct 2-John E. Godfrey, 125 Convent street,
Democratic indre.

ratic judge. Precinct 11—William Doll, 1520 Singleton street. Republican judge. Precinct 12—John H. Watts, 1564 Gratiot street 18-W. R. Pellom, 1937 Papin street, FOURTH WARD.

t 5-I. Stockman, 615 Biddle street, Reican judge. ecinct 6-Max Geigher, 713 Biddle street, Re-Precinct 6—Max Geigner, 713 Biddle street, Republican judge.
Precinct 7—Maurice Calliban, 1217 North Ninth street Democratic judge.
Precinct 8—Morris Buck, 1126 North Elevanth Street, Republican judge.
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Precinct 12—Sam Bishop, 1304 North Eighth street, Democratic judge.
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Precinct 14—Waiter Brown, 1371 North Second street, Democratic judge; James Hannon, Jr., 1745 North Ninth street, Democratic clerk.
FIFTH WARD.

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Precinct 7—Wm. C. Binder, 1308 South Eighth street, Republican clerk.
Precinct 8—J. H. Schaefer, 1507 South Seventh street, Democratic Judge; Edgar C. Houser, 1516 South Eighth street, Republican Judge.
Precinct 11—Louis A. Held, 1036 Carroll street, Democratic Judge. judge. 12-August Iburg, 938 Park avenue Frechet 14-John W. Treka, 1716 South Thir-Frechet 14-John W. Treka, 1716 South Thir-senth atreet. Democratic judge. Frechet 15-Martin Sipla, 1843 South Twelfth treet. Democratic judge.

4-Charles H. Begemann, 2611 North Republican clerk. 5-James M. Slaughter, 2908 North Republican clerk. 6-Edward M. Kessler, 3217 North Republican judge. 9-L. F. Tebeau, 3318 North Eleventh occatic fudge.

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Precinci 10—James B. Phillips. 2340 Menard street, Republican judge.

Precinci 14—John Hicksheim, 1852 South Tenth street, Republican judge; B. F. Anton, 1815 Menard street, Republican cierk.

Precinct 1—Robert McElroy, 4608 North Broadway, Democratic clerk.
Precinct 2—Elroy S. Platt, 4102 North Eleventh street, Republican judge.
Precinct 5—Frederick Burbenne, 8744 Hebert streef, Democratic clerk. Wippe, 4134 Natural Precinct 10—William Wipps, 4134 Natural Bridge road. Republican judge.
Frecinct 11—John Roach, 4293 Racramento avonne, Democratic judge: James Morrison, 4223 Sacramento avenue, Democratic clerk.
Frecinct 14—Engene Finnegan, 1913 College avenue, Democratic judge.
Frecinct 15—Bert F. Biggs, 2021 Alice avenue, Republican judge.
Frecinct 16—Rdwarf F. Biggs, 2021 Alice avenue, Republican judge.
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Frecinct 18—Dennis D. Gronis, 2221 Marcus avenue, Democratic judge; Adam Feeling, 2322 Pope avenue, Republican judge; George W. Lyan, 4537 Labadie avenue, Republican judge.
Frecinct 20—William H. Gray, 4548 Labadie avenue, Republican judge.
Frecinct 20—William B. Kinealy, 5408 Newby street. Democratic judge: George W. Lyan, 4537 Labadie avenue, Republican judge.
Frecinct 22—William B. Kinealy, 5408 Newby street. Democratic judge: Gustav H. Oberbeck, 8112 Church road, Republican judge.

NINTH WARD.

Precinct 7—Charles E. Etling, 2801 South Ninth street, Democratic Judge.

Precinct 9—Hermann Dersel, 1104 Arsenal street, Republican Judge.

Precinct 13—Clemens Middendorff, 2800 South Jefferson avenue. Democratic clerk; Jehn Stoppelmann, 2844 Indiana avenue. Republican clerk.

Precinct 15—H. Claude Lane, 3327 South Ninth street, Democratic judge.

TENTH WARD.

Precinct 3—Charles F. Hull. 2013 North Thirteenth street. Republican judge.

Precinct 5—A. J. Hanna. 1434/9 North Fourteenth street. Republican clerk.

Precinct T—Daniel A. McDermott. 1529 Carr street. Democratic judge: Waiter S. Leslie, 1529
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Precinct 12—Patrick Rehan, 1517 North Eighteenth street, Democratic clerk; Charles E. Beardstey, 1523 North Seventeenth street, Democratic judge; John Holloran, 1837 North Street, Democratic judge; George Luts, 1526 North Seventh street, Republican clerk.

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Precinct 17-Edw. S. Pisk, 3718 Arkansas assume, Democratic judge.

TWELFTH WARD.

Precinct 1-Patrick H. Colligan, 3112 Monros street, Democratic clerk.

Precinct 3-F. C. Kralemann, 1440 Clinton freet, Republican judge.

Precinct 5-Frederick Eggert, 2321 N. Tweith street, Republican judge.

Precinct 7-William Hitzbrand, 1440 Dedier street, Democratic judge; J. H. Dicknite, 1424 Hebert street, Democratic judge; J. H. Dicknite, 1424 Hebert street, Democratic cierk.

Precinct 10-Wm. H. Linnesbringer, 1919 Warren street, Republican judge.

THIRTERNIN WARD.

Precinct 2-Lugin Hinumas, 6314 Virginia avoue, Republican judge.

Precinct 6-George M. Younger, 6622 Pennsylvania avoue, Republican judge.

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FOURTEENTH WARD.

Precinct 16-8. J. Hill

POURTERNTH WARD.

Precinct 1 - John W. Smith. 1125 North Eighteenth street. Democratic judge.

Precinct 3 - George S. Hyde, 1114 North Twentieth street. Republican cierk.

Precinct 4 - Herman Cramer, 1225 Sarsdell place. Republican cierk attent.

Precinct 6 - John T. Ratigan. 2127 Carr street.

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Precinct 9 - Charles Schokmiller.

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Precinct 13—Daniel Dunigan, 2534 Warven street, Densitz Judge.
Precinct 14—II. M. Braun, 2548 St. Louis avenue, Republican Judge.
Precinct 2—Heary C. Webs, 1916 Franklin avenue, Republican Judge.
Precinct 3—John O'Donnell, 1912 Carr street, Democratic Judge.
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Precinct 4—Maurice F. Batter, 2134 Carr street, Democratic clerk: Patrick O'Donnell, 2115 Wash street, Democratic Judge.
Precinct 5—Heary Heimburg, 2118 Franklin Precinct 5—Heary Heimburg, 2118 Franklin Street, Republican clerk.
Precinct 5—Heary Mullaney, 206 North Jufferson avenue, Democratic judge. Precinct Sepublican cierx.

Precinct S.—Henry Mullaney, 200 North Juffurna avenue, Democratic judge.

Precinct 10—James M. Borton, 2007 Lucas avenue, Democratic judge.

Precinct 11—M. P. Barnett, 2041 Oliva street, emocratic cierk; Wm. E. Reno, 2812 Oliva street, epublican judge;

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

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Precinct 4—F. P. Lorensen, 2810 University street, Democratic judge.
Precinct 5—John M. Bernhardt, 2014 North Precinct 5—John M. Bernhardt, E. W. Borneler, 2836 Nurth Twenty-fifth street, Republican stre Precinct 11—John J. Haney, 2107 Bremen avenue, Democratic judge.
Precinct 13—Chas. Wienant, Democratic judges.
Precinct 15—F. W. Kramer, 2027 East Grand avenue, Democratic clerk.
NINETEENTH WARD.

Precinct 3—Geo. Briederbach, 319 South Pour-teenth street, Republican judge. Precinct 8—Geo. Bailow, 2514A Adams street, Republican judge. Precinct 12—Frank A. Brockmeyer, 2798 Clari vrenue, Republican cierk.

TWENTHETH WARD.

Precinct 1—George E. McCosh, 2003 Christians street, Republican Judgs.

Precinct 2—Orson Davis, 215 North Leffingwell avenue, Democratic Judge.

Precinct 3—Wallace L. Briscoe, 2026 Lecas avenue, Republican Judge.

Precinct 4—Irwin E. Rodenbaugh, 506 North Leonard avenue, Democratic Judge; Henry F. Hatleonard avenue, Democratic Judge; Henry F. Hatleonard avenue, orsona Republican Judge. Precinct of the property of the property of the precinct for the property of the precinct for the property of the property of

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TWENTY-SECOND WARD. Precinct 1—George M. Ravold, 2355 Mergan street, Republican clerk. Precinct 2—Charles K. Voorbees, 2325 Locas ave-nue. Republican judge. Precinct 4—D. E. Young, 3310 Bell avenue, Re-publican judge. Precinct 6—William H. Meier, 3130 School street. cratic judge. dnet 12-William A. Glam, 724 North Spring a Democratic judge.

Precinct 12—William A. Glam, 724 North Spring arenue, Democratic Judge.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

Precinct 3—Adam Nagel, 2000 South Eighteenth atreet, Democratic Judge.

Precinct 4—John F. Weinert, 1223 Lami street, Democratic Judge; Edward C. Homan, 2144 South Eighteenth street, Democratic clerk; Gus C. Quentin, 1823 Sidney street, Republical Judge.

Precinct 5—William J. Tureczek, 1904 Allen avenue, Republican Judge.

Precinct 5—Edward Eichhorn, 2000 Indiana avenue, Republican Judge.

Precinct 10—Louis A. Bernhardt, 2142 Victor street, Democratic Judge.

Precinct 2—Silas M. Sparklin, 2005 Daylon street, Republican Judge.

Precinct 4—C. G. Liniger, 2015 Cam avenue, Republican Judge.

Precinct 6—William F. Boble, 1717 Elliot avenue, Republican clerk.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

TWENTI-PIPTH WARD.

Precinct 4—Andrew J. Crossmeyer, 3800 Park
aveaue, Republican judge.

Precinct 5—M. P. McArdia, 1546 South Compton
aveaue, Democratic clark.

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PROF. BEMIS TO FIGURE IN THE MAYORALTY CAMPAIGN.

MUNICIPAL REFORMER.

He Lost His Professorship in Rockefeller's Chicago University Because He Attacked the Trusts.

Prof. Edward H. Bemis, once professo of political economy in John D. Rockefel-ler's Chicago University, until he began lecturing the students on the iniquity of trusts, arrived in St. Louis Friday morning to help push glong Lee Meriwether's mayoralty

Though a young man, Prof. Bemis has attained national prominence. He is a clear thinker and a forceful talker. His presence will inject an intellectual aroma into local politics and add to the picturesqueness of

are paying them \$2,000,000 a year more than they deserve."

Then Prof. Bemis gave an exhibition of the logical mind tacking a municipal problem. He picked up Labor Commissioner Meriwether's last report and turned to the street rallway statisctics. "We find here," he said, "from the companies' own figures, that their operating expenses are one-third of their gross revenue. As they charge 5 cents a fare, 1.87 cents of each nickel goes for operating expenses. They pay \$152,000 for taxes and they carried last year 105,000,000 passengers. This makes 15-100 of a cent to add to the operating expenses. Let us give the liberal estimate of 5 per cent for depreciation, 5½ per cent for bonded interest and 8½ per cent for profit on stock. This 12 per cent applied to \$40,000, the estimated cost per mile of plant, makes \$4,800 income neces. per cent applied to \$40,000, the estimated cost per mile of plant, makes \$4,800 income necessary, on each mile of road. Now there are 200 miles of street railroad and 108,000,000 passengers a year. Therefore the roads carry 520,000 passengers per mile. Let us say one-half a million in round numbers to be liberal. From these passengers the roads must make \$4,800 a mile to cover interest and depreciation, which in round numbers is 1 cent out of each fare. Then you have the 5 per cent hare distributed over every possible outlay

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as follows—1.87 cent for operating expenses, 18-100 of a cent for taxes, 1 cent for depreciation and profit. The total is 2.83 cents, leaving 17-100 of a cent left to cover incidentals out of a 8-cent fare. The extra 2 cents paid the companies is taken out of the pockets of the people to go into the corporation coffers. On 103,000,000 passengers it amounts to \$2,000,000 a year.

"There are ways to save this money to the people. The best way is to regulate the fares. There are court decisions in many States upholding the Legislature's right to do this. Then they can be taxed for their full valuation and the money saved the people indirectly. Lastly, I have it on the opinion of leading lawyers the country over that there is hardly a corporation in existence to-day whose public franchises could not be abrogated for violations of their charter.

"What municipal reforms should do is to

charter.
"What municipal reforms should do is to put men into office who are not afraid to tackle the holders of public franchises and make them the public's servants. I believe Mr. Meriwether is that kind of a man. That is why I am here to aid in putting him into

office.

"All other corporations would be gainers if these municipal vampires were scotched. The public revenues would be so targely increased that their taxes would be lowered, and, on the other hand, the public would have more money to spare to invest in their wares.

Prof. Bemis laughed when asked if this might be taken as a tip to the breweries.

Prof. Bemis will make his first public appearance at the Meriwether mass meeting at Music Hall Saturday night.

#### DELEGATIONS DROPPED.

Election Commissioners Forcing Republicans to Comply With the Law. Several Republican delegations were pulled down Friday at the Election Com-

number of judges and clerks and watchers.

The Sampson delegation in the Fifteenth Ward was withdrawn voluntarily. This leaves the Filley machine with two delegations, and the Starkloff forces with but one in this colony of colored voters.

In the Twelfth Ward the Nagel Republican delegation was backed by a petition of twenty-one names. It is charged that two men who signed this petition are not qualified voters—Charles Wieland and Ed Bent. The Commissioners are investigating the charge, and if it is found to be true, this Nagel delegation will go into the dump heap along with the other in the Sixteenth Ward.

In the Twenty-fourth Ward, which is

now and we want comfort and afficiency in our public affairs. We hear more every day about the good government of European want to imitate their perfect streets, sewers, parks, electric light, street car and technone facilities.

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The struggle to shake off the incubus, it can be done and it has been done.

"It remedy for exiting abuses is utilities, and the Starkkinf forces with to one there are there means of immediate relief. The auctions of public franchises is one, and, with it; can be done and it has been done.

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AT A NOONAN MEETING.

A Friend of Lee Meriwether Made

An open meeting of the Democratic Club of the Second Precinct of the Twenty-seventh Ward was held last evening at the dred people present in behalf of Noonan's candidacy. Mr. Clark was followed by Judge Noonan, who, after a lively speech, closed by announcing that a young friend of Mr. Meriwether was on the platform and would try to convince them that Meriwether was the man. Turning round to Mr. H. S. Bogy he said: "But, Bogy, you'll find it a hard matter, I guess, to convince a Noonan audience that any one else is in it."

#### ROBBED HIS MISTRESS.

D. P. Mandeville Ran Away With Mary Anderson's Clothes.

A warrant for grand larceny was issued He is a waiter and for three years lived off the bounty of Mary B. Anderson, a seamstress at 1008 North Sixth street. A day or two ago he left and took with him a lessif proof enough that a lot of the woman's clothing. The police are looking for him.

Found Dead in the Stable.

Edward Matthews, a painter of 1319 Old Manchester road, discovered the body of Patrick Halpin in a stable in the rear of his premises Friday morning. Halpin was 40 years old, and had been working for Matthews, and sleeping in the stable. His death is supposed to have been caused by alcoholism.

They Pleaded Guilty.

# FARCICAL YERDICT BY SPECIAL JURY.

CHOUQUETTE CASE FINDING.

Plaintiff Entitled to Damages for Permanent Injuries and Awarded One Cent.

A verdict rendered by a special jury in Judge Wood's division of the Circuit Court has aroused such unfavorable discussion that had it come a few days sooner th Senate would have encountered considerable more difficulty in taking the action is did on the bill for the repeal of the specia jury law.

It is probable that the verdict will cause an effort to be made by St. Louis lawyers to secure a re-consideration by the Senate of the vote by which the bill was indefinite

ly postponed. The verdict is said to furnish one of the most striking instances of the evils of the special jury system. It was rendered in the \$15,000 damage suit of Mrs. Julia H. Frot, Bernis wears glasses. He is of measure height, well built, clean featured, the properties of the Chouquette against the Southern Electric Railroad Co. After all the evidence was in

be set aside and a new trial ordered. Judge Seymour D. Thompson, attorney for Mrs. Chouquette, is preparing a motion for a new trial.

The verdict has revived the agitation against the special jury law and is being discussed at the Court-House by judges as well as lawyers.

Of the twelve special jurors who returned the verdict nine were corporation men, the jury being comprised of the following:

Daniel F. Addington, manufacturer of phosferrone; Adolph C. Albright, Treasurer of the St. Louis Typewriter Exchange; John Allan of Kerr & Allan, builders; George H. Amelung, salesman for the Trorlicht-Dunker & Renard Carpet Company; George W. Ammermann, Superintendent of the St. Louis Coffin Company; William M. Anderson, manager of Munger's Laundry; John M. Allen, Department Manager of the Meyer Bros. Drug Company; Robert Atkinson of Robert Atkinson & Co., commission merchants; Philip Burg, grocer, 1210 South Broadway; Samuel G. Burr, Superintendent of the National Lead Company; August M. Buschmann, cashler of the Trorlicht-Duncker & Renard Carpet Co., and Charles G. Byrd, Vice-President of the Keystone Mills.

Judge Seymour D. Thompson, discussing the verdict with a Post-Dispatch reporter, said Friday:

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"The Post-Dispatch has always championed the people. It should take up this matter of the special jury law. A rich man under this law can buy a jury which the poor man cannot. The law provides that those calling for a special jury shall put up \$75 as costs, which is never paid back to him. The poor man cannot put up the money, hence cannot buy the Jury. I mean this expression in a legitimate sense.

"Again, thi

again, this law provides for the selec-tion of jurors from one certain class of citizens, which is the very thing to be avoided."

Judge Wood declined to discuss the ver-dict in the Chouquette case. In regard to the special jury system, he said:

"It is wrong. Had the petition for its re-peal been presented to me, I should cer-tainly have signed it. It should be re-pealed."

#### WILLIE DEAN SURPRISED.

House of Refuge Boy Didn't Know He Was Brutally Beaten.

Supt. Wood denies the story in a morning of Refuge was brutally beaten by his assistants, and the alleged victim, Willie Dean, joins in the denial. The boy was punished last Monday and Tuesday, the superintendent said, and the lad admitted, according to the rules of the institution.

The school teacher, August Radke, found two old chews of tobacco near Dean's desk Monday, and on seaching him found a plece of tobacco in his pocket. He was punished on the spot for having the weed. Harry Jones, who acts as superintendent during Mr. Wood's absence, called the boy into his room Monday evening and asked him who owned the tobacco, as he knew Dean never used it. The boy said he found it in the dormitory. Mr. Wood says Jones was justified in whipping Dean for telling a falsehood. Tuesday morning he was aggin brought up, and the name of the tobacco's owner demanded. The boy stuck to his story and was, Mr. Wood says, given a light whipping.

The matter was then dropped. Dean says he was not very severely punished and was not struck on the back above the hips at all. He has been attending his usual duties all week and wonders what all the fuss is about.

The Mayor has promised Supt. Holmes of of Refuge was brutally beaten by his as-

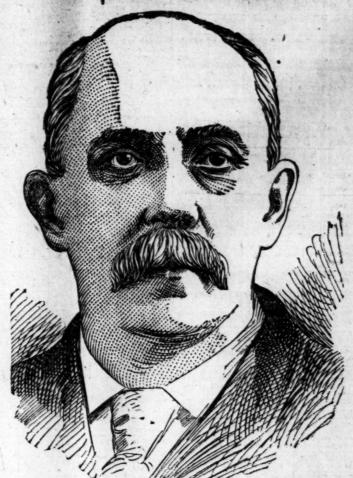
OLD WIDOW DIES ALONE. She Was Mrs. Elizabeth Schubert and

She Had Money in Bank. Mrs. Elizabeth Schubert, a widow, 71 years old, was found dead in bed in her room old, was found dead in bed in her room on the second floor of 1043 Allen avenue. Friday morning. Mrs. Schubert was last seen alive Thursday evening, when she complained feeling ill to a neighbor.

In her room the police found two certificates of deposit, amounting to \$355, on the Lafayette Bank, and \$11 in cash. So far as is known Mrs. Schubert has no relatives living. The Coroner has taken charge of the body.

Nannie Smith Is a Murderess

Compound for Health.



"Very much better, thank you," says Mr. W. I. Reynolds of Dallas, Ore., in Mr. W. I. Reynolds of Dallas, Ore., in on the street. He is Superintendent on the street. He is Superintendent of Public Schools and a hard worker. His devotion to the cause of education cost him dear. He has a large acquaintance among in teachers and school officers in this and neighboring cities.

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ADA HUNTLEY'S LIFE IS ENDED.

ONE OF THE MOST NOTCRIOUS WOMEN IN ST. LOUIS.

SHE HAD AN EVENTFUL CAREER.

Her Fight Over a Child She Loved Is

Famous Among St. Louis Lawyers.

burnt district. Ada Huntley, whose name had been

byword in questionable neighborhoods for years, died almost alone at 2309 Chestnut street. The house was formerly one of the best known of its class, but since Oct. 14 it had been closed to after-dark sensationseekers and had been occupied solely by
the Huntley woman and her servant.

Two blocks away there were sounds of
revelry in the parlors of Annie Murray's
resort, 2119 Chestnut street, while its mistress was dying in her room upstairs.

Ada Huntley was for years one of the
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Ada Huntley was for years one of the best-known of her class in St. Louis. She fattened on vice and accumulated diamonds, and embonpoint and troubles. She had a carriage to take her to the Police Court when she was wanted there, and was consequently envied by women of her class, who had no better conveyance than a plebejan hoodlum wagon.

Her resort was much affected by local politicians and office-holders and Ada cultivated her "puil" so carefully that her carriage rides to the Pour Courts became less frequent as the years passed.

She made herself solid with the powers that were when, in 1893, James J. Butler, then City Attorney, went to her house one night on legal business and got in a quarrel with James Leary, otherwise known as "Seven-Up Jim."

From that time the police kept Ada on the jump. When the denizens of the outlawed districts were compelled to move further west, Ada balked and was forcibly ejected from half a dozen houses. She was driven out of town and remained away a year.

Then she turned up in St. Louis again and shortly afterwards was made defendant in a sensational habeas corpus case. In her younger days before she acquired diamonds and a carriage she had adopted a girl baby. With an instinct worthy of a better woman she determined as the child grew older that its life should be as different from her life should be as different from her

wn as education and environment could

own as education and environment could make it.

She placed the child in a school at Alton, Ill. The woman concealed her identity from the proprietors of the school. The girl grew up in an atmosphere of refinement, while her foster-mother was being prosecuted in St. Louis for harboring girls under age. Ada was up on this charge frequently but she was so guarded that the good people at Alton never suspected her connection with their ward.

She made frequent trips to Alton, visiting her adopted daughter and receiving the most distinguished consideration from her foster daughter's educators.

At last the relatives of the girl showed up and learning the character of the Huntley woman, instituted habeas corpus proceedings to get possession of the girl, who was then 14 years old. The Huntley woman fought the case in the courts, but was finally forced to deliver the girl to her relatives.

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For two years she has not been conspic Two of St. Louis' most notorious mes-dames de joie died Thursday night in the burnt dietrice.

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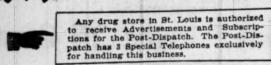
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SIRL WANTED-A good girl. 2100 Clark av. SIRL WANTED—An experienced girl to cook and do general housework. Call after 6 p. m. to night, 1022 Mississippi av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 1446 Hogan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for gene housework; small family. 5052 Bell av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework for widower with two children. 4710

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-A girl for general howork. Apply at 1704 N. Grand av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for general housework. 2403 N. 15th st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general hous work, 5105 Bell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German, Swedish American girl for general housework; family two; good cook. Call between 10 and 12 onl Saturday morning, 2924 Morgan st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-White preferred. 1309 HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general work and to assist in caring for 2 children age 3 and 6 years. Call at once at 913 Walton av. 4 doors south of Suburban road.

LAUNDRESSES WANTED—First-class shirt fin ishers; also starchers; at once. Lacleda Laun-dry, 2907 Pine st.

LADY'S MAID WANTED—An experienced lady's maid to wait on married lady, travel and do chamber work when necessary; must be good sewer and know how to use machine; good wager and permanent situation if employer is suited need not answer unless best city references can be given. Ad. M 474, this office. SEAMSTRESSES WANTED—20 experienced wrap per makers, at once. 307 Lucas av. STENOGRAPHER WANTED—A thoroughly com-petent female stenographer; give age, exper-ence and references. Ad. T 472, this office.

#### PARTNERS WANTED.

14 words or less 20c. ARTNER—Wanted, matron to take half inter in private hospital. Ad. E 474, this office. PARTNER—Wanted, partner with \$500 for rep able theatrical venture, "Cineograph" plct machine, etc.: strictest investigation. Ad. D. Emerson, Grand Opera-house. PARTNER-Wanted, man with some capital take out patent. Call at 16A S. 23d st.

#### DRESSMAKING.

14 words or less, 20c. DRESSMAKER—I will make latest style woold dresses this month for \$3; perfect fit guarantee Mrs. Bowker, 714 Walton av.

BUSINESS—I have \$200 to invest in a cigar and news stand. Address, with location, W 473, this office.

#### BUSINESS FOR SALE.

PAPER ROUTE-For sale, a good Post-Dispatch route. Apply City Circulation Department of the Post-Dispatch.

#### MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

SABY-Wanted, to adopt a healthy girl baby in respectable Christian family; none other need apply. Call at once, 2628 Lucas av. HORSE AND CART-To loan, a horse and cart for feed to reliable party. Call at 3027 Hickory. SCALE—Wanted, second-hand wagon scale; must be in good order; give make, description and lowest cash price. Ad. A 473, this office.

#### MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE. 14 words or less, 20c.

SODA FOUNTAIN—For sale, a fine soda fountain very cheap. Apply at oyster stands 2 and 3 Union Market, Lucas av. side.

TO PRINTERS.

#### HORSES AND VEHICLES.

14 words or less, 20c. For Sale.

# FOR RENT ROOMS, ETC.

### ROOMS FOR RENT.

BROADWAY, 513 S.—Nice, clean furnished roo for 1 or—2 gents; \$1.25 and \$1.50 per week.

HOUTEAU AV., 1012-One large unfurnisher room; water in room; will take washing for ren

JEFFERSON AV., 715 N.—2d and 3d-story from rooms for light housekeeping; other rooms. JEFFERSON AV., 235 S.-S furnished rooms, con plete for housekeeping; to parties without chi dren.

LUCAS AV., 2707—4 nicely furnished rooms southern exposure; 1 for housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 2736-Nicely furnished back parlor \$2.50 week. OLIVE ST., 2648-3 nicely furnished rooms; bath OLIVE ST., 2732—An elegantly furnished from for 2 or 3 gents, \$1 per week; hot bath.

PINE ST., 2633-1 nice, clean furnished room; hot and cold water; bath; cheap.

ROOMS—Suite of rooms, furnished complete housekeeping in private family, references changed. Ad. M 473, this office. SPRING AV., 352—Corner Olive—One furnished room, cheap to gentlemen. WASH ST. 1811-Nice, conveniently furnish room for light housekeeping; low prices.

WASHINGTON AV., 1631—Wanted, roomers; remodeled, nicely furnjshed for gentlemen, ladies or light housekeeping; bath-room, w. c., cistern reasonable; comfortable rooms. WASHINGTON AV., 1509—Front 1st-floor room clean and lewly fur. for gentlemen; reasonable

6TH ST., 909 N .- Nicely furnished rooms; all cor OTH ST., 1316 S .- One large front room, cheap. 2TH ST., 113 N.—Furnished rooms for light hous keeping and roomers; \$1.25 per week and up. 15TH ST., 604 N —4 large front rooms and hall room; 6 nice front rooms at 5 N. 16th st. very reasonable.

#### ROOMS WITH BOARD.

14 words or less, 10c. CHESTNUT ST., 2000—Large, handsomely fur nished room, southern and eastern exposure; ex-cellent board; references exchanged. OOK AV., 3753-Nicely furnished room, good board, for gent and wife or 2 ladies. LARK AV., 2715—Neatly furnished rooms; exclent board \$3.50 to \$4 per week.

LOCUST ST., 2208-Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board. LOUISIANA AV., 1900—Opposite Reservoir Park, Compton Hill—2 nicely furnished front rooms, with alcove; board; furnace heat. MISSISSIPPI AV., 1205-Nicely furnished rooms, 1 23-300s front; bath and all conveniences; best of private board if desired; for couple, ladies or gents.

OLIVE ST., 2303—Neatly furnished rooms and board, \$16 per month; first-class day board, \$3 per week. GOOMS—Wanted, 4 gentlemen to take 2 rooms; centrally located; home cooking; all couveni-ences; strictly first class; terms reasonable. Ad. H 474, this office.

ROOM AND BOARD-Room and board for two persons in private family; west of Boyle av.; Olive st. cars; all modern improvements; home comforts; terms reasonable. Ad. S 473, this office. WASHINGTON AV., 2937.—Desirable rooms, fur-nished or unfurnished, with first-class board and service; day boarders solicited; gentlemen pre-forred.

VASHINGTON AV., 3422-3424—Choice sultes ca be secured for March 25; excellent table. WASHINGTON AV., 2648-Rooms, with first-class board; fire, hot bath; \$4 per week.

### BOOMS WITH BOARD.

WASH ST., 2710-2d-story front room for que couple, with board for lady.

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

### HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

14 words or less, 10 nted, 2 or 3 unfurnished rooms; state conveniences; no children. Ad. L 478. OOMS-Homelike apartments wanted by 2 bac lors: references. Ad. N 478, this office.

#### DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

14 words or less, 10c. CARR ST., 2218-Stable, 12 stalls; good hay loft WELLING—For rent, a large 17-room dwell partly furnished; centrally located. Apply Andrew Rice & Co., 917 Chestnut st.

HISOURI AV., 1734—Comfortably arranged ho with all modern conveniences, in first-class is tion, near Lafayette Park, surrounded by be tiful lawn; stable, etc.; will be newly pape to suit tenant.

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT 14 words or less, 10c.

New 7-room house; handsomely decor lease if desired. Ad. S 472, this office

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT.

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CHOUTEAU AV., 2927—3 and 4 rooms for nic colored people. Inquire drug store. EVANS AV., 4562 AND 4564A—New flats; each large, light rooms; \$15. Keys at 4564. ULIAN AV., 5735 (Cabanne)-Upper 6-room DLIVE ST., 3719—Apartments, 6 rooms; t laundry, 2 porches; janitor; steam heat, water. Evans, 915 Locust st. 14TH ST., 1124 N.-Nice 3-room flat, 2d floor water in kitchen.

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES

WANTED FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES 14 words or less, 20c

#### LOST AND FOUND. 14 words or less, 10e.

AT-Lost, a Maltese cat. Reward if returned COLLECTION BOOK—Lost, yesterday morning, Metropolitan Life Insurance collection book in neighborhood of Lafayette and Soulard; address on front page. Liberal reward if returned to La-fayette Bank Building.

COKETBOOK-Lost, Thursday morning, betw 7:30 and 8, on or near Cleary st., pocketb containing \$3, papers and keys; of value only owner. Reward if returned to 1129 Pins PACKAGE—Lost, in Scruggs, Vandervoort & Bar-ney's Tuesday, March 10, package containing center piece, scissors, sliver thimble marked A. C. D. Finder leave same at Scruggs, V. & B. RING—Lost, Murch e, plain solid gold ring; name, inside, Tillie to Adolph, March 28, 1895. Return to A. Hess, bartender, at Nagel's, 6th and 8t. Charles sts. and receive reward.

SCARFPIN-Lost, March 10, 5-diamond large reward. Return to 3122 Bell av. WATCH-Lost, between 2610 Chestnut and 520 23d st., heavily engraved lady's gold watch. Buturn to 520 S. 23d st. and receive reward.

#### HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE. 14 words or tess. 20c.

FURNITURE—Sewing machines, pianos, organs, wardrobes, folding beds; time payments. Eagle Loan Co., 1238 Franklin av. FURNITURE—For sale, new parlor set, Singer sewing machine and Brussels carpet; cheap. 611 Marion st. HIGHEST cash prices paid for furniture, carpet stoves, feather beds. Wolf, 18 S. 11th st.

# 14 words or less, 20e

KIESELHORST'S, 1000 Olive st., sell and rent first-class planos very cheap. PIANOS-Fine square planes at big bargains; cast or time. F. Beyer, 820 Chouteau av. PIANOS, organs, low prices; easy terms; planes rented and tuned. The Estey Co., 916 Olive st.

ATTEND Prof. R. M. Adams' grand annual St. Patrick's Night ball at Uhrig's Cave, Wednes-day, March 17. GRAHAME'S WALTZ METHOD (copyrighted teaches directly; lessons all hours. Cell at Hall 1806 Olive st. PROF. DE HONEY-Dancing Academy, 2715 Wash ington av.; waits and two-step for \$3; in pri-vate; lessons at all hours; 10 class lessons, \$3; classes Tuesday and Saturday evenings.

DOGS.

DOG-Wanted, large, cross bulldog for watchdog in store at 1720 Franklin av.

PERSONAL

INFORMATION WANTED.

MATRIMONIAL.

MATRIMONY—Refined widow, aged 30, good ap pearance, would like to correspond with honor able gentleman; object, matrimony. Ad. C 473 this office.

#### PERSONAL SUNDRIES. 14 words or less, 20e

DIVORCES A SPECIALITY; ferms; confidential office, 1002 Olive st., second floor. ALL private matters, pimples, sores, discharges etc., treated free; either sex; cure guaranteed small charge for med. Medical Co., 107 N. 9th DR. MARY JOHNSON receives during confinement; special treatment by mail. 827 S. 18th st. MRS. FRANCIS, 100814 N. B'way-Massage a magnetic treatment, rheumatism and prostratic MRS. E. STARR receives ladies before and dur confinement. Call 3115 Franklin av.

MRS. RENNEKAMP, midwife; private home for ladies before and during confinement; reasonable terms. 2925 Franklin av. MASSAGF, magnetic treatment, medicated vapor baths for rheumatism and nervousness. Mrs. Grey, 1678 Pine st. MMF. BARTHOLOMEW'S magnetic treat is highly recommended; she restores the sy-rheumatism, paralysis, kidney and liver, ne-ness and other troubles, 1225 Chestnut et. MEDICAL MASSAGE INSTITUTE, 2602 Olive-Swedish movements; Turkish, Russian, medicate, ed; electric baths; manicuring, chiropody; chroni diseases. Miss Rose, masseuse; treatments, \$1. MRS. DR. HOGAN receives before and during confinement; horses for infants if desired; in dies call or write; confidential. 2329 Market st

# FAY GAS FIXTURE CO.,

MISSOURI LAW BUREAU,

1,000 BUSINESS CARDS, \$1.

**REAL POEMS IN PASTRY** JACK FROST.

25c a lb. Any Grocery Store

COANS ON PERSONAL PROPERTY.

DO YOU want any money? Furniture, planes, etc., without removal, accepted as security; no inquiries made among your neighbors; if you wish you can pay the loan back in easy monthly payments; people who desire to make a loan privately and want to be treated honorably are in-vited to call. Anchor Loan Co., 108% N. 8th st. HOUSEHOLD LOAN CO., advances money on

IF you have a mbortgage on yout furniture, held by either a loan company or an installment fur-niture house, call and see me. I will take it up for you and loan you more mossy, at a low rate. Si0 Security Building, corner of 4th and Locust sts.

MONEY TO LOAN-On furniture and planes; any amount you desire, without removal from house; money can be paid back in installments and save interest; no commission or charges for papers; money given same day applied for. John C. King. 1803 Washington av. Business private. MONEY to loan on furniture without removal; in-terest 8 per cent per annum. 810 Security building, corner 4th and Locust sts.

MONEY ON EASY TERMS—A gentleman having some surplus funds will lend 119 and upwards on furniture, planos, bicycles, etc. Call or ad-dress 1015 Morgan st. PRIVATE party will advance money on planes, furniture, etc., without removal; strictly considerable montaness econologic, it will pay you to see me before you use a losu, as I can and will save you mosey. SiO Security building, corner 4th and Locust sta. YOU CAN BORROW MONEY from the Fidel Loan Co., 802 Chestnut st., room 1, or furniture, plane or bleyels at lowest possit rates; casy payments; no extra charges; you at the full amount your mortgage calls from

FURNITURE LOANS.

COSMOS LODGE, No. 282, A. F. and A. M.—Called communication this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock at Seventh and Market sirects. M. M. degree. Visitors cordially invited. By order of E. J. DAWSON, W. M. EDEN REED, Secretary.

LODGES.

# DWELLINGS FOR RENT. 14 words or less, 20c.

FOR RENT.

FARMS FOR RENT.

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

GRAND SPECIAL SALE Chouteau Place. Two blocks west of Grand av.,
PATRICK'S DAY, March 17,
FRIDAY, March 19,
BATURDAY, March 20,

\$20 Cash Buys a Lot

Nichells-Ritter Realty and Finan 718 CRESTRUT ST.

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g and 6 per cent interest. Rutledge & Kilpatrick Realty Co., 717 Chestnut Stre

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MERICAN STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 2 Olive-Moving, packing and shipping; storage separate rooms. Tel. 1880. W. H. Land. NEW YORK STORAGE CO., SIO N. 7 warehouses, 22d and Wash sta. 1 ship or store household goods; 700 pr for storage. Phones 1816 and 225.

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WANT PACES.

# MY FRIEND MR. HARBERTON.

"No, old man, of course I don't believe in spirits or nonsense of that sort. Yet something that I never quite understood once happened to me. You all know about that

MEN WANTED—2 secret society men out of employment for light, pleasant work; \$4 per day. Ad. L 474, this office.

"No, old man, of course I don't believe in spirits or nonsense of that sort. Yet something that I never quite understood once happened to me. You all know about that kind of thing, and perhaps you can explain it.

"After I left Oxford—without honors—I spent a lot of time loaing at home. Deadalive part of the country; nothing much to shoot, and mother, an invalid, couldn't stirout of her room.

"I didn't mean deliberately to deceive her, but what life is there for a healthy young man, stuck down there, hanging round a sick room from one month to another? He must come to the surface to breathe, whether the air be wholesome or not. At first, when I took a run up to town and didn't return at night I had to invent a friend and to pretend I had put up with him. That came as easy as lying always."

does; only mother, who had little to interest her, insisted on hearing all the particulars. How my friend looked, what he said, and the rest. I got into a lot of tight places at the start, till I thought of a man it load known two years before and kept to a description of him.

"Harberton was his name. He was cruising on the Mediterranean for his health when I was on the Sayonara with the Blakes. He was not not it was on the Sayonara with the Blakes. He was not the Sayonara with the Blakes. He was not the Sayonara wit

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Well Harberton's name occurred to me and would have detected a fraud at a glance, leading the night.

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# IN THE HOT HOUSE.

Schmidt, Whose Sentence Was Com muted, Will Have a Pleasant Job at Jefferson City.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 12 .- John chmidt, an accomplice in the Atwater murnuted to twenty-five years in the peniten tlary, arrived here to-day. He was in charge of Sheriff Kinth of St. Louis County, Schmidt did not look as if he were in good health. There was no color in his cheeks and his usual slight frame was thinner than ever. He will not be put to any heavy work, but will be placed in charge of he hot house. This is one of the pleasantest obs at the prison.

#### TO IMPROVE STREETS.

#### Various Bills and Ordinances Passed On by the B. P. I.

the meeting of the Board of Public ovements Friday nine street improve-ordinances were recommended for pas-They are as follows:

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Fo improve Goodfellow avenue, between its and Maple avenues; Hamilton avenue, between Cates avenue and Horton its and Maple avenue; between Mest End avea and Walton avenue; to grade and impove Aubert avenue, between Delmar avea and the Suburban Railway; to grade wistead avenue, between Delmar avenue and the Suburban Railway; to grade wistead avenue, between St. Louis and hiand avenue, and to authorize the concition of cross walks.

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Citizens of Meramec, Grand and Gravois svenues were given permission to haul 1.000 loads of spawls, or chipped rock from the Work-house, to stop washouts and make sidewalks on those streets.

### SOUGHT WORK IN VAIN.

#### Sad Story of an Arkansas Girl Who Applies to Matron Breen.

Police Matron Breen is interested in the

Miss Morton is 18. Her father, once a wealthy cattle dealer, made his headquarters in Little Rock, Ark, Miss Morton was an only child, and was given a splendid education, graduating from a seminary in Little Rock.

A month ago she received a letter from her father announcing his failure in business. He said he had lost every cent he possessed, and for a while she must remain with her New York relatives.

She had never been dependent before and sould not stand it then. She had saved some money from her liberal allowance, and notwithstanding the protests of her relatives she determined to return to St. Louis and make her own living.

She thought she could have no trouble n securing a position here, as she had plendid recommendations from the colege at which she graduated. splendid recommendations from the col-lege at which she graduated.
She has been here for more than a month and has spent her last cent in looking for employment, but failed to find it.
Friday she applied to Mrs. Breen and told her story. The Matron was impressed with its truth, and with the manner of the girl, and promised her a home until she could find sultable work.

#### BOISTEROUS FATHER-IN-LAW. Said to Have Thrown Stones Through

peace. Johnson says that White lives with his wife at 217 South Twentieth street, and that Mrs. White is dying of pneumonia. Mrs. White is a member of a fraternal order and Thursday night a delegation of members of the order called at the house to pay a "sick visit" in accordance with the usual custom of the lodge.

White, who had been drinking, became abusive. Johnson said, and finally drove the visitors from the house.

Friday morning White went to the house under the influence of liquor. Johnson, who was attending to Mrs. White, refused to let him in, fearing that his conduct would have an evil effect on the patient.

This angered White, who, Johnson says, began throwing stones through the doors and windows. Johnson called a policeman, but White had departed before the officer arrived.

### JIM FRENCH CAPTURED

#### United States Marshal Has Him Fast at Springfield, Ill.

United States Marshal Lynch Friday received a telegram from Marshal Brinton of the Southern District of Illinois, saying that the notorious Jim French, burglar and that the notorious Jim French, burglar and ex-convict, had been arrested at Springfield. Marshal Lynch wired Brinton to hold French and immediately dispatched papers for his delivery into Missouri. The Government authorities want him for robbing the Post-offices at De Soto, Mo., three years ago, and Maiden, Mo., two years ago. Several State indictments for robbery and larcecy are also standing against him. French was pardoned from the penitentiary at Jefferson City by Gov. Stone during the last few days of his administration. City and Federal sleuths were put on his track at once, but till now he cluded them.

#### MUST PAY ITS PER CAPITA.

#### Woodmen of the World Decide Against the Pacific Jurisdiction.

The morning session of the Sovereign Camp, Woodmen of the World, was con-sumed Friday in the revision, amending and codification of the laws governing the orsumed Friday in the revision, amending and codification of the laws governing the order. The dispute between the Pacific jurisdiction and the Sovereign Camp was also discussed. The trouble arises over the regardiance of the Pacific jurisdiction to pay its similar per capita of a cents, amounting to his jurisdiction threatened to with the jurisdiction threatened to with the pacific per capita of a cents, amounting to his payment of the per capita was inforced. This Sovereign Camp decided Friday that it would have to pay the tax, resolution was adopted to that effect and its allegiance to the parent ledy. There is allegiance to the parent ledy. There is allegiance to the parent ledy. The turnsdiction present and he only as wis tor. No accredited delegates were sent. The meeting adjourned for dimer at the presentatives of the Pacific jurisdiction in the Ladies auxiliary walked out the

of the convention of that organisation. Thursday night because the women of the West were ignored in the lists of committees and officers. The seceders claim the support of all the members in the nine Western States.

### DEFENSE OF HUN REED.

His Attorneys Resort to Expert Medi cal Testimony to Save Him.

The case of Hun Reed is still before a jury in Judge Withrow's Court. The State

jury in Judge Withrow's Court. The State rested at noon, and the defense began the introduction of testimony.

Reed's attorneys outlined their defense that the woman committed suicide. A diagram of the wine room, showing the positions of the woman and Reed the night of the shooting, and the builet holes in the partition, was shown to the jury.

The defense has subpoensed medical experts to prove its theory of suicide and contention that the woman could have inflicted fatal wounds upon her person, even though she had received a wound from another.

The case will probably go to the jury Saturday afternoon.

#### SHE HATES TO BE ROBBED.

# Miss Montgomery Gives a Purse-Snatcher Too Hard a Game.

Miss Lida Montgomery of Edwardsville, Iil., is visiting friends at 1233 Washington avenue. She was walking on South Eighth avenue. She was walking on South Eighth street Friday morning, and she carried her pocketbook in her hand.

Wm. Brown, a negro, saw Miss Montgomery, and coveted the pocketbook greatly. When he snatched it, to his surprise it failed to leave her hand. They see-sawed for a few moments in tug-of-war style, Miss Montgomery yelling all the stime like a Modoc Indian.

Patrolman Hearney saw the trouble and was near upon Brown before the negro loosened his hold on the purse, and started to run. Hearney captured him easily and locked him up in the Four Courts holdover, "There wasn't much in the old pocketbook," said Miss Montgomery as she started away after promising to appear against Brown, "but I just clung because I do hate so to be robbed."

### HIS OLD FRIEND CHOLLY.

#### Judge Murphy Has Another Chance to Try Charles Lewis.

Charles Lewis was before Judge Murphy again Friday. This time he was charged with petty larceny. Thursday he was acwith petty larceny. Thursday he was acquitted by the Iron Judge on the charge of carrying burglars' tools. It was shown that he had entered a Chinese laundry and had taken \$1.15. The Judge said that the fact that the defendant had skeleton keys on him amounted to nothing. Any hotel man could carry them.

Lowis was charged this time with petty larceny. His attorney moved for a continuance, saying the police had kept him locked up on another charge and had given him no chance to prepare for trial. Judge Murphy said the police were addicted to such tactics and he gave the defendant until March 17 to prepare for trial.

#### COUNT DE LA VAULX DEAD.

#### He Married Miss Eliza Dillon, a Belle of St. Louis.

Word has been received here of the death at Paris, France, of Count Roger Louis de La Vaulx, Captain of the Pope's Zouaves, and a member of one of the most aristocratic families in France.
In St. Louis the Count was well known as the husband of Miss Eliza Dillon of this

as the husoand of Miss Enza Dilion of this city.

In 1866 Miss Dilion, then a popular local belle, was touring France and Italy.

At Rome she met the Count de La Vaulx and they were married. The couple visited this country several times after the marriage. Two daughters were born to them. Count de La Vaulx died Wednesday from dropsy, a disease with which he had been suffering for several years.

#### GUARDED BY IRISH MILITIA.

#### Fr. Phelan Says Mgr. Martinelli Was in No Danger at New Orleans.

The story telegraphed from New Orleans that Mgr. Martinelli, the papal delegate, had "He was escorted to the cathedral by three companies of Irish militia and two brass cannon," said Father Phelan. The Maña would have made a sorry showing against that force. Reports that he was followed about by Italian assassins are ridiculous. He walked to the depot Sunday night. Myself and two companions were his only escort. We knew nothing of the alleged danger."

### DIDN'T GET THE INSURANCE.

### His Wife's Policy.

Doors and Windows.

A. C. Johnson procured a summons Friday against his father-in-law. Thomas White, charging him with disturbing the peace. Johnson says that White lives with his wife at 217 South Twentteth street, and that Mrs. White is a member of a fraternal order and Thursday night a delegation of members of the order called at the house to pay a "sick visit" in accordance with the usual custom of the iedge.

#### Open Hoop Iron Market.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 12.—The fact has just been made public that the Hoop Iron Association has been dissolved. This was caused by the refusal of two leading firms to continue the organization, and it expired by limitation. The market is now an open one. The only members of the combination in this city were J. Painter Sons & Co. and Wm. Clark & Co.

The Weather Flag's New Location. Hereafter the weather flags of this bureau will be displayed from the staff on the southwest corner of the roof of the Chemical Building. Eighth and Olive streets, a much more advantageous location than the old one in front of the Government Building.

Andrew H. Sanders was arrested Friday charged with stealing a bicycle from N. E. Crow of 1506 Locust street and selling it for \$10 to John Balmer, Jr., of 10 North Fourth street. A warrant was issued against him.

Receiver Zumbalen of the St. Louis and Clarksville Packet Company, was author-ized by Judge Klein Friday to sell the big bell of the steamer Bald Eagle for \$75. The bell is all that is left of the boat which

#### Building Permits.

F. W. Geise, west side of Twenty-first, between Ferry and Penrose, two-story brick dwelling; 31,300.
Gustav Ruwe, east side of Twenty-third, between Bremen and Newhouse, two-story brick tenement; 25,000. Huehnerhoff & Krallmann, contractors.

West Presbyterian Church, south side of Maple, between Maryville and Hamilton, brick church; 311,700. J. W. Wilson & Co., contractors.

### VIRGINIA EDMUNDS WEDS. Was Quietly Married in Chicago to Paul Edgar Nos.

Miss Virginia Edmunds, who left here to visit her aunt, Mrs. Mary Jamison of Chicago, a week ago Thursday, was married last evening to Mr. Paul Edgar Noe of Chicago. Mrs. Noe is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling E. Edmunds of 3150 School street, this city, who recently came here from Louisville to reside, and a niece of Judge Henry L. Edmunds of St. Louis.

Miss Edmunds left here a week ago to make a visit to her aunt, and had no intention at that time of marrying. Her mother and father did not know that she intended to marry until a telegram was received last night. Miss Virginia Edmunds, who left here to

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The ceremony took place at the residence of Mrs. Mary Jamison, an Episcopal clergyman officiating.

Miss Edmunds is a beautiful girl of 19; vivacious, with dark eyes and hair and olive complexion. Mr. Noe is her second cousin, and has been in love with her for some time, aithough no engagement had existed.

She had many admirers and is a lovely girl. The happy couple left at once for Madison, Wis., the former home of the groom. They will reside in Chicago and build a home on the South Side, overlooking the lake. the lake.

Mr. Edmunds, father of Mrs. Noe, will be home from Louisville to-night. This has been a great surprise to her family.

#### MISTAKEN IDENTITY.

#### Henry Kohlebeck Arrested, Though the Real Culprit Was in Jail.

Henry Kohlebeck, an expert painter, was arrested Thursday on a description of a bogus check shover and confined in the holdover at the Four Courts until noon Friholdover at the Four Courts until noon Friday, while the real culprit, John Johnson, was and has been occupying since February 5 Cell 26 in the City Jail.

The description of the man wanted was furnished Patrolman Murphy by J. B. Horstman of 1917 Franklin avenue, who said he introduced himself as Johnson and cashed a worthless check.

Kohlebeck was arrested on Chestnut street, and, despite his protestations, was locked up. Horstman called at the Four Courts Friday morning to identify the captive, He unhesitatingly said that Kohlebeck was Johnson. Deputy Jailer Wagner, passing at the moment, said: "He does look like, Johnson."

"That's who it is," ejaculated the policeman.

man.
Wagner replied he guessed not and called the real Johnson to the window. As soon as he saw the two men together Horstman discovered his error and is positive the jailbird is the man who buncoed him.
Kohlebeck was released, but declares he will bring the matter before the Police Board.

### SANFORD'S OTHER WIFE.

## New England Girl.

Pierre Chouteau Sanford was buried Friday afternoon beside his father in the family lot at Calvary Cemetery.

His aristocratic mother and sisters did not kneel beside the newly made grave. They repudiated the wayward young man in death as they had in life. His widow, Louise Hotson Sanford, was the only Louise Hotson Sanford, was the only mourner.
Sanford's death recalls his earlier marriage to the beautiful and aristocratic Imogene Hull, daughter of a distinguished New Haven, Conn., family. Four children, Helen, Louise, Zelina and Frank, were born of the union. Six years ago the wife applied for a divorce. The two elder girls are now budding into womanhood. Their mother is preparing them to reign in exclusive Eastern circles.

Sanford was left \$50,000 by his father, but his mother bought it in some time ago to help him pay off his debts.

#### ATTORNEY CLOPTON'S BOOKS. About \$2,000 Worth Were Stolen From His Barn.

When United States District Attorney Clopton moved from 2746 Lafayette avenue he stored a lot of valuables in the barn. When he went to the barn this morning he discovered that thieves had entered it and stolen about \$2,000 worth of books and fhe manuscript of a book he has been at work upon for ten years, entitled "New Madrid Land Claims."

### Yale Students Apologize.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 12.—The Tale students who several days ago sent a Yale flag and a letter of good wishes to Puglilst Corbett at Carson, Nev., print an apologetic card in to-day's issue of the Yale News. They disclaim 'all intention to be considered as speaking for the college or for any individual other than themselves in the letter which has brought upon them so much criticism and censure and express regret that "unwillingly and unwittingly" they have cast a slur on the university.

#### Held for the Grand-Jury

Donato Fiovelle was held to the Grand-jury in a \$3,000 bond in the Court of Crim-inal Correction Friday for murder in the second degree. Ten days ago he shot and killed Francisco Polombo.

### Miss Kalkmann to Sing. Miss Adelaide Kalkmann will sing at the hurch of the Messiah Sunday morning.

Changes Among Hotel Clerks. The resignation of Clerk Charles Field of the Planters', to take effect Saturday, will bring about a slight change among local hotel men. J. C. Chidsey, of the Lindell, will fill Mr. Field's position, and A. G. Seevis, of the Planters', will go to the Lindell. Mr. Field will manage a hotel in the northwestern part of the State.

#### THE MARKETS.

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The receipts of wheat were heavy both to-day and yesterday, but it is insistly spring wheat from Chicago, as it is said that 60,000 but of spring wheat from Chicago, as it is said that 60,000 but of spring wheat from the been bought at Chicago in the last few tays for shipment to St. Louis.

The weather map indicated that the present cold snap is about over.

Duluth millers estimate, after careful inquiry, that 47,000,000 but of wheat are left tributary to Minneapolis and Duluth. There are in store in country elevators 35,000,000 but and available in farmers' hands 12,000,000 but and available in farmers' hands 12,000,000 but and available in farmers' hands 12,000,000 but of shipment.

The opening cables were:
Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet. Id lower; futures quiet, ¼d lower. Corn—Spot quiet, ¼d lower; futures quiet, ¼d lower. English country markets steady.

London—Cargoes of wheat arrived off coast quiet; on passage rather easier. Corn cargoes of coast quiet; on passage rather easier. Corn cargoes of coast quiet; on passage rather easier. Corn cargoes of coast quiet; on passage rather easier. Corn cargoes of coast quiet; on passage rather easier. Four—March, 15 cms lower. Freuch country markets quiet, but steady.

Parla—Wheat 8 cms lower. Flour—March, 15 cms lower. Bertila—Wheat 8 cms lower. English country lower.

Berlin-Wheat flat, 114 mark	ts lower.	
Stocks of Grain in St. I	ouis El	evators.
Friday.	Thursday.	Year Ago.
Wheat	2,191,571	1,220,763
Oats		501,243 3,063
Barley	3,266	866
No. 2 hard winter 196,976	231,572 199,176	35,810 918,781
No. 2 corn	1,084,943	1,106,837
No. 2 oats 128,382 No. 2 white oats 8,850	124,128	158,205
No. 2 rye 18,754	3,850	1,463

Friday.   Thursday.   Year Ago WHEAT.				
No. No. No.	3 red 90 8 red 90	@901/5b	92	2
		CORN.	ST. M. S.	Aglet
No. No.	2 white 2113	100 M	1000 DE	が語り
1		OATS.	Named as SE	
No.	1	17 b	17%b	18%

# track; small quantities and poor quality lower. BARLEX Dell at 206:30e pr bu. LEAD—The market continues dull and changed; offered at \$3.15 for Missouri; desilvated also offered at \$3.15. SPELTER—Quiet at \$3.90.

ON THE STREET.

CURB MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, 2:30 p. m.—May wheat offered at S7c and puts at 86%c; July wheat, 70%c; puts, 60%c bdid; calls, 71%c bd. 72%ff%c; puts, 72c; calls 73%ff%c; July wheat, 70%c. Corn—Puts, calls and May, 24%c. 2.—Wheat.—March, 71%ff72c CHICAGO. March 12.—Wheat.—March, 71%ff72c n; May, 72%c b; July, 70%c; Sept., 68%c n Corn —March, 23%c n; May, 24%c s; July, 25%c b; Sept., 26%ff%c. Oats—March, 16%c n; May, 17%c; July, 18%c.

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WHEAT.

Prices were a little higher on July wheat at the opening, but the market was dull and dragging. Business in the pit was in a state of stagnation and as a result a decline soon set in.

Cables were lower at the opening and second cables still lower. Receipts at St. Louis were very heavy, but Northwestern receipts were lighter. Speculative business was at a standstill and the cash demand was slow.

The situation in the East seems to be unchanged and there wers no outside orders received.

The receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Dulth were 162 cars, as compared with 13,720 bu a year ago.

Receipts at St. Louis to-day were 62,135 bu, as compared with 13,720 bu a year ago.

July wheat opened at 70%c, 'we higher than the close yesterday. It was offered down to 70%c%c, and then suddenly broke and settled down to 60%c, where it stood until call time.

May wheat was very slow to open, but finally sold at S7c, with none offered before the closing cables were:

Liverpool—Spot wheat dull; 1½62d lower; fourseted to ¼d lower.

Paris—Wheat fat, 1½62 marks lower.

Paris—Wheat steady to 10 centimes lower; four steady to 20 centimes lower.

Antwerp—Wheat 12½ centimes lower.

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Paris—Wheat steady to 10 centimes lower; flour steady to 20 centimes lower.

Antworp—Wheat 1242 centimes lower.

Clearances of wheat and flour from the four ports were equal to 122,000 bu.

Receipts at primary points were 240,000 bu, as compared with 392,000 bu a year ago.

The shipments were 100,000 bu, as compared with 15,000 bu of No. 2 hard wheat sold at 70 ke. loaded East side. The lower grades and spring wheat, however, were not wanted.

Some No. 3 spring was offered down to 70c without a buyer, but some choice No. 8 spring sold at 326,003 bu for some fresh war news, the market railed and it sold up to 70%c. Hore it weakened again and sold down to 68%c. May wheat sold down to 88c, and then was bid to 88c.

August was offered at 68c, with 67%c bid.

The close was very nervous and excited at 70%c bid for July wheat, Se for May and 69%c nominal for August.

CORN.

There was very little trading in this option during the early part of the session und the market was barely steady.

Receipts were heavy and the cash demand moderate. Cables were lower and the export demand is falling off somewhat.

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The receipts at St. Louis to-day were 148,400 bu, as compared with 18,720 bu a year ago. Of these receipts 90 cars were local, as compared with 174 sks and 69 cars local a year wgo.

May corn opened at 21% bld, the same as the close yester-lay. It sold up to 21% 22%, then down to 21% and funally at 21% 2%, c, a shade lower than yesterdays chaing bld, but there were no more allos bore Call.

Spot grades—On Call No. 2 mixed corn was offered at 21% regular and had 20% bld United, 20% bld Advance, and 20% bld Farmers.

No. 2 white corn was not offered, but had 21% and 21% bld Advance, 21% bld United and E. elevator and 21% bd Farmers.

No. 3 white was not offered, but had 18% bld Advance.

No. 3 mixed corn was offered at 17% regular. No. 4 corn sold at 15½c regular.

No. 4 corn sold at 15½c regular.

No grade corn was not offered, but had 12½c bld
Advance.

The clearances of corn from the four ports today were 375,575 bu and from New Orleans were
100,500 bu.

Receipts at primary points were 42,000 bu, as
compared with 387,000 bu a year ago. The shipments were 277,000 bu as compared with 183,000

Last a sample market was very dull, with hardly
easily trading to establish a market; prices nomlast trading tr

May, 2334674c asked for July and 2444675c bid for Sept. corn.

OATS.

There was the same old dead dull market in this option this morning, with not a bid or an offer in the pit before call.

Receipts were heavy and the local demand was limited.

Receipts at St. Louis were 51,700 bu, as compared with 23,100 bu a year ago. Of these receipts 29 cars were local, as compared with 18 cars local a year ago.

Spot Grades—On call No. 2 oats were offered at 171% regular and had 17c bid Advance or this side. There were no bids or offers on the other grades.

fallen pelts, 2@3c per lb, according to quality and condition.

DEERSKINS, FTC.—Deerskins quotable \*\* 15c per lb for prime: damaged half price; antelope, loc; gocatskins, 10620c each.

FEATHERS—Dull and lower. Prime white live geese, small sks, 39c; larxe sks, 37c; gray and quilly, 32c; white, old, 31@33c; X, 25@25c; XX, 15@25c; XXX, 12@4c; XXXX, 8c; tare, 3@10 per cent. Chicken—Dry picked, 2½c. Duck—Dark, 20c; white, 32c. Turkey—Tail, clear, 16c; wing, 7c; wing and tail mixed, 10c; wing and pointers, 8c; pointers, 3c.

GREASE—Brows, 2c; yellow, 2½c; white, 3c.

REESWAX—Prime steady at 24c.

TALLOW—Steady, Prime country quotable at 3½ calls and pointers, 3c; calcs quotable at 3½c for choice; packers, 3½cg 3½cc.

WOCL.

The sample market was dull and dragging, with buyers bodding off for lower prices, which holders were nowlling off the sample market was dull and dragging, with buyers bodding off for lower prices, which holders were nowlling of the sample of the sample

Receipts, 700 bu; shipments, 700 bu. On call there was not a single bid or of any of the grades.

FLOUR AND FEED.

FLOUR-Receipts at St. Louis, 5,480 bbls meuts, 5,480 bbls. Market dull and easier.

bbh higher.

LARD-Prime steam, 3.95c; choice, 4.02½c.

LRAF LARD-In tes, 4%c for pure.

BAOON-Jobbing sales—Sored lots: Shoulder

4%c; axtra short clear, 5%c; clear ribs, 5%c; cle

gides, 5%c.

SUGAR-CURED HAMS—On orders, 10@11c.
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per 1b; tot gues, \$4.50 per dos.
BERF—Mess. \$6.50@150 per bbl; dried, b@11c.
SERDS—Mess. \$6.50@150 per bbl; dried, b@11c.
GRASS SEEDS—Timothy—Common to fair, \$2@
2.50; prime, \$2.60@2.65; poor selling as lew as
\$1.50. Chover—Weedy and trashy, \$2.50@5.25; good
to choice, \$5.50@6.80. Red top—Interior, \$102; good, \$3@55; choice, \$6.50@8; fancy, \$10@18. Milstep, 50.60%0; Hungarian, 400@5c per 100 lbs.
FLAXSPED—Nothing dolag, Market is nominally
lowes at \$16 per bu for car lots on

Market steady and unchanged.

Missouri, lilisois, etc.—
Clear
Light fine
Heavy fine
Slightly burry
Hard burry
Southern hard burry Cornneal hominy and grits. 1 40@1 45
Pearl meal, hominy and grits. 1 1-40@1 45
BRAN-Market continues firm, but there is little
to be had. Bulk bran worth about 48@50c; skd
bran E. trk worth nominally 58@60c; 52@54c for
country points. This side selling at from 62c
at the mill. Fine medium
Fine, 8 to 12 months.
Fine, 6 months.
Sandy and heavy
laho, Wyoming, Utah,
Medium

Augnat
Mail pouch coffee at 13.35.
RIO-No. 7 Coffee Exchange, 9 mil, 900; exchange, 8 1.32; receipts, 1,000; clearances for change, 8 1.32; receipts, 1,000; clearances for change, 6 1.32; receipts, 1,000; clearances for market flat.
SANTOS-Receipts, 8,000; stock, 441,000; mail ket quiet; good average Santos, 10 mil, 700.

celpts—Corn, 60,150 bu; oats, 24,150 bu; rye, —; what 2,400 bu. Shipments—Corn, 28,200 bu; oats, 28,450 bu; rye, —; whisky, 600 bbs; wheat, 1,200 bu.

IAVERPOOL, March 12—Closing: Wheat—Spot full; futures steady; March, 6s 4d; April, —; whay, 6s 2d; July, 6s 2d; maire—spot steady; futures steady; March, 26,54d; April, 28,64d; July, 28,8d. COTTON. LOCAL MARKET—Quiet and unchanged. Sales,
bales. Quotations: Ordinary, 6c; good ordimary, 6%c; low middling, 64c; middling, 7c; good
middling, 74c; middling fair, 7%c. Tinges 4c
and stains %c below white.

WAREHOUSE STATEMENT TO-DAY.

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LIVE STOCK. National Stock Yards.

CATTLE-Receipts, 728, all in the native di-

no Texas cattle here and good orders unfilled on account of there being none	are go
No. Description. Av.	Pris
11 cows 400 5 cows 906 1 cow and calf	3 0 27 0
7 helfers 862 2 helfers 775 30 helfers 785	3 0
2 oxes	3 4
3 steers	10
17 steers	12
SHEEP-Receipts, 777. Market stead No. Description. Ay.	Pris
9 lambs 130 4 bucks 130 5 21 natives 93	366
217 natives	
No. Av. Price. No. Av.	Die
73174\$8 80 68180 85184 3 85 62206	

FINANCIAL Gaylord, Blessing & Co., 100 OLIVE ST. ST. LOUIS, MO.

Live Stock by Telegraph

St. Louis bank clearings to-day were \$4,401, and the balances \$643,936.

St. Louis Stocks and Bonds.

STOCKS.	Bid.	Asket.
erchants' Laclede National ational Bank of Commerce ational Bank of the Republic hird National Bank Louis Trust Co. nion Trust Co. lasisalppi Valley Trust Co. ass Av. & Fair G. Ry, bonds. indell Ry, stocks. roadway Cable bonds Louis & Subuntan Ry, stock t. Louis & Sub. Ry, bonds. nion Depot Ry, bonds dison Illum bonds ranite Mountain serchants' Bridge Gs.	91 80 127 80 127 80 124 50 82 75 100 00 114 00 100 25 81 30 90 25 111 00 108 50	\$117 89 188 00 103 00 103 00 129 00 120 00 120 80 120 80 100 80 82 00 100 80 11 50 11 50 11 50 11 50 10 60
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New York Stocks.

ST. LOUIS, March				
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American Spirits		18%	13%	
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tchrson com	12	200	1040	
do 4s	82%	82%	62%	
anada Southern	4736	1111	240	100
hi. Gas Trust	777	113	77%	
C. C. A St. L.	28%		28%	
el. & Hudson	1003	110%	100%	
Grie pfd	85	8514	84%	
llinois Steel Co	35%	36	351/4	
ersey Central	947	9514	94%	12
do do nfd	78	1 3111	****	
ouis. & Nashville	17047	49%	49	1
ead pfd	914	****	****	
dissouri Pacific	20%	2016	20	U
d., K. & T., pfd do 2ds		81%	81	
danhattan Elevated	84%	8514	841/	
Northern Pacific, com		18%	13%	
de pfd	107%	10814	10734	
ew York Central	979	90	97%	
mana, com	149	9016	8714	
Phil. & Reading	25%	25%	254	100
do 4 per cents	) 81%	81%	815	100
lubber, com	184	18%	18	
do pfd	70%	70%	68%	
outhern Ry., com	94	9814	9790	
do pfd	***	174	77%	
de prd	151	1-1140	*49.442	1
enn Coal & Iron	270	25	274	100
Inion Pacific	) 7	1		1
J. S. Leather pfd	50%	851	50%	10 3
Western U. T. Co Wabash, com	61	8%	84	le.
do pfd	15%	15%	15%	1
do 2ds	114 68			100

Silver Quotations. NEW YORK, March 12.—Silver certificates, 354,066c; no sales. Bar silver, 65%c. Mexican del-

# TO BE HANGED JUST FOR FUN.

JAKE WOLFLIN IS A PROFESSION-AL HEMP STRETCHER.

WILL GIVE AN EXHIBITION

Charles W. Daniels, a Theatrical Man, Thinks the Public Will Pay to See the Show.

Charles W. Daniels, who for a number of years was associated with Ollie Hagan in the management of the old Pope's Theater and the Hagan Opera-house, has a novel scheme in his head to furnish amusement to the public and at the same time line his pockets with the coin of the realm.

Mr. Daniels wants to give a hanging ex-hibition. He has his victim all picked out and plans are now being perfected whereby the public who are denied the privilege of seeing the law jerk men over the river at the rope's end may have an opportunity to see for a nominal sum just how the trick is

The intense, morbid and almost neurotic interest taken by the community in the ex-ecution of Arthur Duestrow and two of the Clayton highwaymen, together with the excitement over the escape from the death penalty by Dreher and John Schmidt, the third of Bertram Atwater's murderers, is responsible for the originating of this brill-iant scheme. Mr. Daniels argued to himself that if everyone would go into mental hemorrhages over the real thing, enough people would pay to see the imitation to nake it a profitable investment.

The vict.m selected for the affair is a

man named Jake Wolflin of 2719 North Broadway. He doesn't mind a little thing like being hanged, owing to a freakish col-lection of muscles in his neck. When suspended at the end of a rope he is able to make these muscles so taut as to prevent strangulation for a considerable length of

Wolflin is very proud of his ability to stand the test, and during the World's Fair he used to be hanged regularly three times a day for the benefit of admiring wds. The strain on him, however, is rmous, and there is the constant danger that his neck may be broken in the drop. It is this that led him to give up his grue-"profession" and turn his attention to a less horrible way of making a living.

His relatives have always feared that he would be killed in one of his experiments and they have made him promise not to do the drop any more. Mr. Daniels, however, is trying to get him to take one more chance and give St. Louisans the full

Wolflin is a tall, brawny chap, weight over 180 pounds and with muscles so hard that he has been called the "Iron Man." He first commenced being hanged several years ago and kept it up until careless-ness on the part of his attendants almost cost him his life. Then be decided to lay

off for awhile.
Wolflin gives the following account of manner in which he performs his feat

the manner in which he person it: and the sensations arising from it: "In the drop the strain is greatest. I use a regulation hangman's noose, placing the knot under the left ear and contracting all muscles. This leaves me with the re-nder of my body limp. The jar of the fall seems to partially paralyse the body and there is no pain; but for a moment there is a feeling of anxiety. By taxing my tire strength I can continue hanging minutes, struggling all the time to breathe. On becoming exhausted I signal my attendants and they cut me down.

"Last April in Chicago they did not watch me carefully. I had not been feeling well, and after three minutes I signaled them.
At the same time I relaxed the muscles of my neck, for the rope was supposed to be cut on the instant. The muscles, once relaxed, I could not draw them up under the heavy pinching rope.

of a man being hanged-the struggle in my mind to master things. Then I had the feeling of one completely worn out. I felt as though I would give half my life for a little sleep. I was almost praying for it, STREET RAILWAY

"Then the answer seemed to come, grew numb and unconscious. I never felt so comfortable in my life. Then I was dead to the world. The rope was cut at dead to the world. The rope was cut at that second and the quick work of a physician succeeded in saving me."

Mr. Daniels' idea is first to have a private test of Wolflin's powers in the presence of a number of reputable physicians. If the man can do all that is claimed for him without danger of his managers themselves having to go to the gallows for his murder, a large hall—probably the Exposition—will be rented. The event will be largely advertised and the public invited to come and satisfy its appetite for hemp-stretching.

A box of Tellow Jacket molasses candy in the delight of the household. Papa, mamma, the children, neighbors and friends all partake of its delicate contents and praise it sterling quality. Ten cents a box at your

#### GOT HIS REWARD.

Rev. O. H. Clark of Belleville Made Chaplain at Chester.

Rev. O. H. Clark, D. D., of Belleville elder of the Lebanon District of hern Illinois Conference of the M. E. Church, received notice Thursday of his appointment as Chaplain of Chester penitentiary. The salary is \$1,500 a year. The appointment is for four years.

Dr. Clark took great interest in the late campaign and was enthusiastically for Tanger.

Humiliating Of itching, burning, bleeding, scaly skin and scalp humors is instantly relieved by a warm bath with CUTICUMA SOAP, a single application of CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure, and a full dose of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, greatest of blood

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DO YOU KNOW WHAT'S

COING ON HERE?

Do you know that we are almost giving away Spring Weight Suits and Odd Pants? All our light weights carried over from last season—left from last week's sale—embracing Single and Double Breasted Round and Square Corner Sacks and Cutaways of Fine Cassimeres, Cheviots and Worsteds -stylishly cut, splendidly made and genteelly trimmed-but only 2 or 3

of a kind—yet all sizes among the various kinds—these are the ones! Men who bought from these piles last week are bringing in their friends by twos and threes! Every suit sold is a walking advertisement for half a dozen more! Just think of it-suits we sold last season at \$10.00,

we are now giving away at.....

\$12.00 and \$15.00 we are now giving away at..... THE MEN'S PANTS that last season brought prices up as high as \$5.00,

Saturday Is the Last Chance! Don't Miss It!

# CHILDREN'S CLOTHING SNAPS!



Wear Better Shirts Less Money

By Buying at

'The Fair'

25 dozen advance spring styles men's laundered white shirts, with colored bosoms and separate cuffs—same as sold in the ordinary run of stores 

50 dozen men's colored shirts, with separate collars and cuffs-worth up to \$1.00 each, will be thrown out Saturday at.....

60 dozen men's medium weight all-wool undershirts and drawers, just the thing for this kind of weather-easily worth \$1.00 a garment, The Fair sells Saturday at......

50 men's fancy silk band bows, in latest spring effects, worth 25c, Saturday only at ......

OPEN EVERY SATURDAY .... .... NICHT TILL 10:30.



BILLS DOOMED.

DYING BECAUSE NO ONE IS IN-

TERESTED IN THEM.

REQUESTS FOR FRANCHISES.

House of Delegates Committee on Railroads Will Recommend Filing to

Save More Trouble.

will be knocked in the head at Friday even-ing's meeting of the House of Delegates. They are the accumulation of the session.

Most of them ask for extraordinary priv-

leges and propose to give mighty little in

The Committee on Railroads, to which all such bills were referred, met Friday

afternoon and agreed to clean out its box by recommending that the bills be filed.

"What's the use," said Delegate Grass-muck, Chairman of the Committee, "to

keep them on our hands any longer? It

is impossible to pass them now before the

is impossible to pass them now before the session ends, even if it could be done at all, which I doubt. Some of them have been in the box since last fall. I have called meetings and announced hearings, but nobody ever appeared to speak for or against the bills. There cannot be a very great need for these roads or more interest would be taken in the bills. The session was yet very young when the first street railway bill was introduced. Mr. Wilcox launched it May I. It authorized the Lindell Railway Company to build a double track extension from Etzel and Hamilton avenues west along Etzel avenue to the city limits.

In consideration of privileges granted, the company agreed to grade Etzel avenue from curb to curb, to improve the crossing at Etzel and Hodiamont avenues with arch, treatic, culvert or bridge, and to light with electricity the part of Etzel avenue covered by the ordinance.

A much-signed petition accompanied the bill, but both have been in the committee.

bill, but obtains the box ever since.

On July 2 the Interstate Railway Company asked for an ordinance for a road starting at the west end of the Eads bridge and extending in circuitous route over Third street, Christy avenue, Broadway, Elm street and Fourth street to the point of beginning.

As the name indicates, it was intended to extend across the bridge into Illinois. Passengers were to be landed in the center of the city from Belleville, East St. Louis, Venice and other towns. It was introduced by Mr. Stewart. It was never made known who were interested in it.

The Cosmopolitan was the next company to bob up. On Oct. 13 Mr. Sulliven intro-

ot of street railway franchise bills

### Knee Pant Suits.

See the extraordinary line of Children's Knee Pant Sults, strictly all-wool, the smaller sizes neatly trimmed with braid, that we offer **C1 Q5** Saturday at. ..... See the Splendid Knee Pant Suits of finer all-wool fabrics that will go at..... See the amazing Knee Pant Suits that we \$2.95

Knee Pants. Children's good Knee Pants—rightly cut— of good sightly fabrics—you would never believe such pants possible at..... The Knee Pants we offer at 25c beat the band!-ZOC that's all-only ..... The Knee Pants of splendid all-wool fabrics, 50c worth 75c-we sell Saturday at . .



The Newest Pearl Federa and Derby Hats, in Black and Brown, at .....

If you paid \$5 for a Hat you couldn't get more style or better wearing qualities than we are selling for \$1.49. Our Pearl Fedoras with the Black Bands are very swell and very handsome. These are the same as other houses sell for \$3 regularly and for \$1.90 on Bargain Days. We include a superb line of Black and Brown Derby Hats in very newest Spring shapes, and the choice of all goes Saturday at the really wonder-

BOYS' All-Wool Golf Caps-assorted designs for Spring wear-intended to sell for 35c, we cut

BOYS' All-Wool Golf Caps, in all the newest patterns for Spring-fine silk lined—worth 50c,



DOUBLED HER CLAIM.

Miss Kaiser Wants \$20,000 Instead

Instead of \$10,000 damages, Chris Von der

THROWN FROM A WAGON.

Charles Pruitt Injured in a Runaway

on a Bridge. Charles Pruitt, of 1735 South Eighteenth treet, a driver for the Provident Associa

of \$10,000 From Von der Ahe.

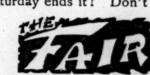


The Last Chance at these Superb \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Ox Blood and Tan Shoes for Men at .....

Saturday will wind up the greatest sale of Men's Shoes this town ever knew. We were more than lucky in securing the Brown Shoe Co.'s great line of these Shoes, but they can't last forever! The biggest shoe ad. we ever had has come from this lot -just think of Men's extra quality Oxblood, Tan and Chocolate Shoes in all the latest up-to-date stylesmade to sell at \$3.00, \$4.00 \$1.98 and \$5.00 a pair, going at.

Every pair sold creates a natural demand for 5 pairs more-some customers returning again and again for duplicate pairs.

Saturday ends it! Don't be left.



city.

In return for all this it promised to pay the city for the first ten years \$5,000 per annum, for the following ten years \$10,000 per annum and annually thereafter a sum which, with the above amounts, should aggregate \$500,000. "Aida." Chadwick's "Melpomene" over-ture was meant to be the musical echo of which with the above amounts, should aggregate \$500,000.

Two bills were introduced during February. One authorized Oren D. Tucker and associates under the corporate name of the St. Louis Rapid Transit Railway Co. to construct and operate a combined elevated and surface road extending to nearly all parts of the city. The company agreed to pay annually an amount equivalent to five mills on every 5-cent fare collected on all cars except those designated excursion trains. the symphony. Then the concert wound up with three songs for voice and piano. To phrase inelegantly, there's where we got the foam on the bottom of our beer That is one impression of the season's last symphony concert.

It is almost correlative to see that the general effect was medicere. Perhaps this might not have been had Leo Stern, the announced 'cello soloist, been present to thrill Sixteenth and Morgan streets, is under arall cars except those designations.

The committee will also recommend that several bills for railroad switches be filed.

There are also several comprehensive street railway bills in the City Council which will die with the session if they are not killed before. that the auditors carried away little of real erty. value to put away in the store-houses of their musical imaginations. Miss Adelaide Kalkmann, who has just returned from two years' study abroad, volunteered at the last moment to supply Mr. Stern's place, The audience forgave Mr. Stern's absence in its anxiety to judge of a known favorite's mu-sical progress. But they were disappointed, Instead of \$10,000 damages, Chris Von der Ahe will have to pay \$20,000 to Miss Annie Kaiser for breach of promise if she gets judgment in full against him. The increase in Miss Kaiser's demand was partially the result of Von der Ahe's application for a change of venue from the St. Louis Circuit Court. As stated in a late edition of Thursday's Post-Dispatch, the change of venue was granted by Judge Spencer after deliberating an hour over the matter.

The delay in going to trial afforded Miss Kaiser time to brood further over her indignities, and when she finished brooding it was clear to her that not less than \$20,000 would recompense her.

The order for a change of venue was accordingly withheld by Judge Spencer at the request of Lawyer Woerner, representing Miss Kaiser, until the petition could be amended in accordance with her expanded conception of the injuries she suffered. for Miss Kalkmann, rather than subject the peared, although quite unfit to do herself justice. The weather had crept into her throat and robbed her tones of the bell-like resonance that was the singer's greatest charm. Her arta, instead of being dra matic, was throaty. At times her tones were hardly true. Only in Schumann's "Lotus-Blume" did she seem like her old self and that she sang "sforsa" and with exquisite smoothness. Despite the physical handicap, Miss Kalkmann's friends could

see evidences of her late training in the clarity of her phrasing and a welcome distinctness of enunciation.

Mr. Chadwick's overture, the programme tells us, was called "Melpomene," because the name of the tragic muse was typical of the mood that evolved the composition. The music is certainly blood-curdling to a Phillistine "all wind and fury, signifying nothing." The presumption is that it was well played. The orchestra worked under a full head of steam from start to finish. istine "all wind and fury, signifying nothing." The presumption is that it was well played. The orchestra worked under a full head of steam from start to finish.

Raff's "Im Walde" symphony was the street, a driver for the Provident Association, was driving over the Twenty-first
street bridge Friday morning. His horse
took fright and dashed along the drive. The
wagon was upset and Prulit was thrown
against the railing.
His laft shoulder and knog-cap were
sprained and he was badly bruised. Dr.
Newcomb treated him at the Dispensary
and seat him home. principal feature of the programme. Though not a consequential work, it is the typical embodiment of the composer's grace, geniality, poetic imagination and gorgeous tone coloring. Raff is in some sense the Browning of music. The amployy lies in their par-

duced a bill at its request. It did not want much. Its main line was to begin at Fourth and St. Charles streets, run east to Third, south to Walnut, back over Fourth to St. Charles, west to Tenth, south to Locust, west to Twenty-first and thence over a hundred streets, through the cemeteries and on to the northern city limits. A branch was to start out from Twenty-first and O'Failon streets and extend to the northwestern city limits. There were other northwestern city limits. There were other branches taking in nearly all parts of the city. kept the conductor in a shiver of apprehen-sion. The number, though, was the enjoy-

> RECEIVED STOLEN PROPERTY. John Lutz Charged With Acting as Fence for Thieves.

rest, charged with receiving stolen prop-

Several weeks ago John Murphy and

#### TO GO TO THE ASYLUM.

Gov. Stephens Issues an Order in the Dreher Case.

Charles Dreher, the murderer of Bertha Hunicke, pronounced insane by a Sheriff's jury last Tuesday, has been ordered sent to the State Insane Asylum at Fulton, Mo., to remain until he recovers his reason or dies. The order was signed by Gov. Stephane Thursday and is directed to the Sheriff. ens Thursday and is directed to the Sheri of St. Louis, in whose custody the murder

Wabash Has Through Sleepers To Denver and Los Angeles, Cal. Eva Booth Out of Danger.

TORONTO, Ontario, March 12.—Commissioner Eva Booth of the Salvation Army, who has been seriously ill in this city, is to-day pronounced to be out of danger.

WE MANUFACTURE OUR OWN CLOTHING. NO MIDDLE PROFIT TO PAY. PRING, gentle spring, about

which the poets rave (according to the almanac), is here. It is true the violets and pansies have not shown their pretty heads above the meadow grass and the early morning air is nipping and eager; you need a

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CURE A COLD IN ONE NIGHT.

Pach wonderful little tablet a separate prescription by best physi Contains no Quinine or Opiates. To soc and age all Druggists,

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BEE THAT THE NAME IS STAMPED ON EACH CIGAR.

Having Purchased and Imported a large quantity of Havana Tobacce be
Weyler's order forbidding the expert of tobacce from Cuba. THE QUALITY

### MERCANTILE

WILL BE KEPT UP TO THE STANDARD.

CLAYTON OF ARKANSAS. ico.

Gen. Powell Clayton of Arkansas, prob bly the next American Minister to Mexi-co, stopped in St. Louis on his way home co, stopped in St. Louis on his way homs from Washington Thursday afternoon long enough to say he was reasonably sure of the appointment and to assure the public he was sincerely friendly to the interests of St. Louis and Missouri.

As to who will succeed Gov. Crittenden as Consul-General to Mexico, Gen. Clayton only hazarded a guess that it will be a Missourian, as Missouri interests are more closely allied with Mexico than those of any other State.

CONFEDERATE HOME.

ting of the Board of Managers the State Confederate Association will be held in St. Louis next Tuesday, the object being to transfer the Confederate Home at Higginsville, Lafayette County, to the State, as provided by a recent act of the Legislature.

The land, consisting of nearly 400 acres.

TENDERLOIN MACKEREL Pat, julcy, appetizing. Ragular price 31.50 pall. this week ...... 61.20 CONRAD'S, 620 Locust. 2712 Pranklin av. and Delmar, sear

Pockets Daily Picked.

You can save the annoyance and make money besides, buying one of these 30 and \$12.50 Men's Suits that the Globa N. W. Cor. 7th and Franklin av. are selling at \$7.45. You should see the materials they are made of.



The purchase of the great steel and Malicable from Range MAJESTIC is not a matter of speculation, as it is a fact that it does not fall to do the work for which it is recommended. Its every element is honosty, and with it in the kitchen trouble ceases. It does its work with promptness and precision, giving pleasure to the user and little cost to the owner. The limit to its

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